

WEATHER

Fair tonight, Thursday
light snow, not
so cold.

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THREE CENTS.

10-Inch Snow Covers District, Closes Rural Schools

DRIFTS BLOCK MANY HIGHWAYS THROUGH STATE

Road Crews Busy Keeping County Pikes Open

BUSES HELD UP

Motorists Warned To Be Cautious In Travels

King Winter came back for an encore Wednesday as February, following the precedent set by January, became an unpredictable weather month. The snow came swirling out of the skies and piled up in huge drifts after central Ohio had its first taste of Spring weather Sunday and Monday when the temperature hit a high of 54. Wednesday's reading was 19.

Whipped by a 30-mile-an-hour wind the ten inch snowfall was piled high in many places blocking roads, raising high water marks and bringing back driving hazards. Many said the snow was the heaviest since 1918.

School transportation was badly hampered throughout the county and several of the schools are not conducting classes. Washington Township buses made no attempt to get through early Wednesday when the drifts blocked the highways. Saltcreek Township buses got through, but there was only 40 percent attendance and classes were dismissed. Five of the ten Walnut Township buses fought their way over the roads but school had been cancelled for the day. No classes are being conducted in Pickaway Township.

Highway department is waging a fierce battle to keep the county roads open. None has been closed yet, but are all drifting badly with the snow plows battling over the same stretches every hour. No sooner is a road cleared at one end than the other is once more buried beneath another drifting white blanket.

Roads in the Chillicothe area and further south are impassable and highways in Marietta, Athens, Caldwell and Lancaster are filling up fast. State Route 722 and 43 were closed by snowdrifts in Jefferson County and route 76 in Guernsey County is clogged. One way traffic is being maintained on Route 13 in Perry County.

High water is closing routes 294 near Findlay, 75 in Coshocton County, 666 north of Zanesville and 271 in Guernsey County, the State Highway Patrol reported. The Columbus and Southern Ohio Electric Company and the Citizens Telephone Company reported that there has been no disruption of their services anywhere in the county despite the high snow piles. Strain on wires and (Continued on Page Four)



LOCAL
Tuesday High, 42.
Wednesday Low, 19.
Precipitation, .55 inches; snow 10 inches.

FORECAST
Light snow and continued cold in east and clearing and continued cold in west portion Wednesday, fair and continued cold Wednesday night; Thursday fair with rising temperature.

TEMPERATURES ELSEWHERE

	High	Low
Arlene, Tex.	53	25
Boston, Mass.	27	30
Chicago, Ill.	28	27
Cleveland, O.	26	25
Denver, Colo.	40	32
Des Moines, Iowa	25	19
Duluth, Minn.	23	8
Los Angeles, Calif.	71	49
Miami, Fla.	79	61
Montgomery, Ala.	69	48
New Orleans, La.	71	56
New York, N. Y.	48	37
Phoenix, Ariz.	63	32
Seattle, Wash.	56	41
Bismarck, N. Dak.	29	25

City Funds Gone; Snow To Remain

Service Department's Treasury Empty As Winter Returns

Circle residents will have to battle their own way out of the deep snow that has descended on the city without any aid from the Service Department. Digging out from under is being left to individual initiative and whatever aid the county offers. Last Wednesday the Service Department reported to the City Council at its meeting that the department's funds had been depleted and that it would have to suspend its operations until such time as funds are available. The deficiency did not appear so serious at the time since the January snows were a thing of the past.

County trucks are clearing away the drifts in front of public buildings and WPA workers will be assigned to work at the designated places. The rest of the city will remain blanketed, however, unless there is some action taken by city officials in shifting funds to the department or enlisting county help.

CADY FINES CABBY FOR DRIVING WITHOUT LIGHT

James T. McCain, Black and White cab driver, paid a fine and costs of \$13.70 in Mayor William Cady's court Tuesday night for driving at night without lights. "Cab drivers have been previously warned that safety rules will be strictly enforced," Mayor Cady said. "We will not risk the lives of the people of Circleville. If the cab company wishes to continue operating in the city it will have to keep its cabs in good condition and abide by the city's motor vehicle ordinances."

150 ESCAPE AS FIRE HITS HOTEL

Burlington, Vt., Scene Of Blaze; Many Persons Carried To Safety

BURLINGTON, Vt., Feb. 14 — Amid scenes of near hysteria and heroism, 150 guests escaped today from the flaming Milner Hotel. Fourteen guests were carried to safety by firemen down ladders.

The blaze, which spread for more than six hours, raged for two adjacent department stores, doing total damage estimated at between \$250,000 and \$300,000.

SNOW AND ICE COSTING STATE HIGHWAY FUNDS

COLUMBUS, Feb. 14 — Snow and ice on Ohio's highways has more than doubled maintenance personnel costs for the first six weeks of 1940, State Highway Director Robert S. Beightler said today.

He added that it would probably be necessary for him to request authority of the board of control to transfer more than \$500,000 from some other division to the maintenance department to make up the added expense.

Maintenance personnel costs in January totaled \$520,000, more than \$250,000 above the amount set aside for that purpose.

FIVE ATHENIANS ASKING UNNEEDED AID IN COURT

ATHENS, Feb. 14—Five Athens County men accused of seeking unneeded poor relief will be arraigned tomorrow in common pleas court on informations filed by Prosecutor Harold Rose. If convicted, they would face fines of \$25, 30 days in jail, or both. Filing of the charges resulted from an investigation of the county relief situation by the state welfare department.

FINNS ADMIT CRISIS AT HAND

Artie Shaw, Lana Turner Wed



THE elopement of Lana Turner, above, rising young film starlet, and Artie Shaw, inset, swing band maestro, has surprised all Hollywood. Until news of their marriage at Las Vegas, N. M., reached the film colony it was believed there that Miss Turner was virtually engaged to Gregson Bantz, Los Angeles attorney, and that Shaw was paying court to Betty Grable, Jackie Coogan's ex-wife.

SNOW DOESN'T BOTHER MAN, 88, AND HIS BRIDE

POMEROY, Feb. 14 — Braving Meigs County's worst snow in five years, 88-year-old Richard Moore and his bride-to-be, Mae Hoover, 40, arrived early today at the courthouse to obtain a marriage license. They were married shortly afterward by Squire Percy Peoples.

FOUR MEN FLEE ILLINOIS STATE HOSPITAL CELLS

CHICAGO, Feb. 14—Police today launched an intensive search for four Chicagoans who last night escaped from the Manteno state hospital for the insane, in Kan-kakee County.

Dr. Walter A. Baer, managing director of the institution who advised Chicago police of the break, described the fugitives as "desperate" and said one of them, George Williams, 39, had frequently threatened he would kill his wife "when he got out."

A special police detail was assigned to guard the Williams home. The men escaped from a first floor ward in the receiving hospital after removing a steel window casement.

MISSING COUPLE MAY BE ELOPING, MOTHER SAYS

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo., Feb. 14—Concern over the disappearance of Gerald Valentine (Windy) Butler, 19, a former student at the University of Illinois, and Jean Owen, 19-year-old daughter of a wealthy Chicago industrial engineer, was dispelled today by Mrs. Arthur A. Butler of Colorado Springs, mother of the missing youth.

Informed that the missing girl's father, Ira J. Owen, had announced in Chicago that a search had been instituted for the pair, who, he said, may have eloped, Mrs. Butler laughingly replied: "There is nothing to get excited about." "After all," she added, "Jean and Gerald have known each other for a long time and have been engaged for more than a year. If they have eloped, and I am sure they have, there is nothing to be worried about."

NAZIS ENDANGER AMERICAN SHIPS

Decree Concerning Liners Inspected By British Seen As Threat

BERLIN, Feb. 14—German official quarters, reaffirming their decision that any neutral vessels touching at allied ports are liable to be sunk, today applied the ruling specifically to American ships. The Reich, it was contended, would be legally justified in destroying any American bottom en route to the Mediterranean, which stopped at Gibraltar to submit to search by the British contraband control.

(EDITOR'S NOTE: Under the German ruling, the United States, liner Manhattan, one of America's most luxurious passenger steamers, would be subject to attack. Switched from the New York-England service to a run between New York and Italy, the Manhattan twice was stopped at Gibraltar for control inspection.) Germany's answer to the Pan-American proposal that belligerents observe a 300-mile neutral security belt around the Americas was forwarded to Panama, which holds the presidency of the conference, today.

(Britain and France rejected the proposal, both contending the neutral zone could not be made effective unless the United States navy agreed to police it.)

IRVIN J. SWAYER DIES IN HARRISON TOWNSHIP

Irvin Jerome Swayer, 83, widely known retired Harrison Township farmer, died Tuesday at 2:30 p. m. at his home near Gray's Station. Heart disease was fatal. Mr. Swayer, born July 18, 1856, in Walnut Township, was a life-long resident of Pickaway County. His parents were John S. and Cynthia Culp Swayer. Surviving are his widow, Agnes Vause Swayer, and three sons, Herbert, Roy and Curtis, all of Harrison Township. The funeral will be Friday at 2 p. m. in the Ashville Methodist Church, the Rev. Walter Peters officiating, with burial in Reber Hill mausoleum by E. F. Schlegel. Pall bearers will be the Barch brothers, John, Lewis, Charles, William, Jess and James.

British Lose Two Ships; 38 Men Missing; Germans Scuttle Own Freighter

LONDON, Feb. 14—The 10,191-ton British oil tanker Gretafield was sunk off the northeast coast of Scotland today with the apparent loss of 13 crew members.

Twenty-eight other seamen were rescued by fishing trawlers, but it was announced that 13 were missing. Eighteen of the survivors were injured and sent to hospitals when they reached shore.

The vessel burst into flames before sinking. It also was announced that the tanker British Triumph, a vessel of 8,501 tons, foundered in the North Sea following an explosion with 25 members of its crew listed as missing. Twenty-one survivors were rescued and taken to a British port.

RIO DE JANEIRO, Feb. 14—The 6,201-ton German freighter Wolfsburg was scuttled by its crew off the northern coast of Brazil, presumably to avoid capture by British warships, according to unconfirmed reports in Rio De Janeiro today.

The German steamer Wakama was scuttled Monday by its crew after being intercepted by British cruisers. LONDON, Feb. 14—Crew members of the 3,927-ton Swedish steamer Dalaro, sunk in the Atlantic Ocean, reached an Irish port today after they were rescued by another vessel. The captain of the Dalaro was reported to have been lost.

The mob, made up of more than 1,000 irate fishermen, tradespeople and merchants, descended on the jail at nearby Snow Hill when word circulated that two women who had been seen with one of the suspected slayers had been arrested.

Brushing aside sheriff and jailer, the crowd seized Martha Blake, 31, and her daughter Lillian, 14, and rushed them by automobile to Stockton.

There they were met by a detail of state troopers who wrested the Blakes from them—but only after a bitter skirmish in which one officer and two members of the mob received painful wounds. The crowd wanted from the men information concerning the identity and whereabouts of one of three Negroes suspected of killing 61-year-old Harvey W. Pilchard, Stockton farmer, and (Continued on Page Four)

WELLES' VISIT INTERPRETED BY ITALIAN SOURCES

ROME, Feb. 14 — Diplomatic circles in Rome today interpreted the forthcoming mission of Sumner Welles as a last-hour effort by President Roosevelt to head off an expected outbreak of most violent hostilities.

"Total warfare" would wipe out all chances for peace until one side in the European war is crushed, so Washington is said to be cooperating with the Holy See to stave it off, foreign circles heard. Mr. Roosevelt's decision to send his undersecretary of state to Europe, it was understood, was taken after hasty conferences with William C. Bullitt and Joseph P. Kennedy, ambassadors to France and Great Britain.

Only 48 hours' notice was given to the European nations that Welles was coming to Italy, Germany, France and Britain, according to information here.

For the sixth time in seven days, the Italian supreme defense council will meet this evening. The council, it is believed, has completed preparations for during the "danger period" which authorities believe will reach its height between March and May 1.

During that time exports will be cut down in order to bolster Italy's own defenses.

FOE FOR BRICKER?

TOLEDO, Feb. 14—Councilman Addison C. Thacher will decide in two weeks whether he will oppose Governor John W. Bricker in the May primary.

BILL TO EXPAND NAVY APPROVED

House Committee Favors Report; Vote Early In March Planned

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14—The house naval affairs committee unanimously voted to report a \$655,000,000 naval expansion bill to the house, with Chairman Vinson (D) Georgia announcing that he will seek a vote early in March. The vote was 18 to 0.

The action was taken with full approval of President Roosevelt and Secretary of the Navy Edison. The navy secretary, however, still said that he favored the original five-year \$1,300,000,000 Vinson bill.

The committee, limiting the program to two years, announced that world conditions may make necessary further expansion of the navy in 1943.

The \$654,902,270 bill provides for approximately 21 fighting ships, including aircraft carriers, cruisers and submarines. It raises the minimum naval air (Continued on Page Four)

TWO LIGHT PLANTS NOW SERVING NEWTON FALLS

NEWTON FALLS, O., Feb. 14 — Competition of a private and a municipal power system today gave the citizens of Newton Falls light and plenty of it.

Both the Ohio Public Service Co., and the new municipal light plant have street lighting systems in operation. The master clock controlling the private utility's system is in city hall, and company officials say it should be turned off by village authorities, but the latter so far have declined to touch it, stating that it is company property.

TWO GIRLS HUNTED

CINCINNATI, Feb. 14 — Two young girls who disappeared during last night's heavy snowstorm were sought today by police. They were Marie Cain, 12, and Alma Rogers, 11. The snowfall, 7 inches, was the heaviest in Cincinnati in three years. The Ohio River stood at the 30-foot stage and continued to rise.

NATION PLEADS FOR MEN, GUNS

Mannerheim Line Troops Begin Counter Drive On Russian Horde; Half Million Shells Poured On Isthmus Defenses

HELSINKI DENIES FALL OF SUMMA

Spokesman Says Tiny Nation Must Have Assistance From "Civilized Nations" To Prevent Disaster In Warfare

HELSINKI, Feb. 14—Facing overwhelming odds, Finland's legions counter-attacked on the Mannerheim Line today in what was officially described as a successful attempt to recapture outpost positions taken by the Russians in the bloodiest battle since 750,000 Britons fell dead and wounded at the Somme.

Brief military dispatches reaching Helsinki described the fighting as "particularly sanguinary." Russian artillery opened up to full scale in a new attempt to blast the Mannerheim Line and stop the attacking Finns dead in their tracks.

Early information did not indicate how many previously captured outposts had been retaken by the Finns, but the population thrilled to the knowledge that the harried troops had taken the initiative against the ever-increasing Russian hordes hammering against the Carelian Isthmus fortifications. Finnish authorities, who estimated that the Russians yesterday poured half a million artillery shells into the Finnish defenses on the Carelian Isthmus, claimed the Mannerheim Line proper was standing up "like a rock" under the terrific pounding.

But the seriousness of the situation was openly admitted as the Russians flung more and more troops into the fray against the determined but heavily outnumbered Finnish forces. A Finnish general staff spokesman called for speedy aid "from the civilized nations of the world," adding: "Although the Russians fall by tens of thousands, they always have more men to put into action. We need help. We need more men, more guns and more planes."

"Able to Hold On" "So far Finland has been able to hold on. But we rely on other civilized nations to do their utmost to relieve us in this situation." (In New York the Columbia Broadcasting system picked up a German short wave broadcast, quoting the Swedish newspaper Aftonbladet, which reported that the Russians had captured Summa, scene of some of the bitterest fighting on the Carelian Isthmus. (This claim was not included in the Soviet war communique, which reported that "intense infantry and artillery activity continues in some sectors and operations on the Carelian Isthmus are developing successfully." The communique added:

"Large enemy forces which attempted counter-attacks were repulsed with heavy losses and 23 defensive fortifications were captured." (Continued on Page Four)

BRIT PLANES INTERCEPT NAZI RAIDER AT THAMES

LONDON, Feb. 14 — British pilots who last night attacked a German Heinkel reconnaissance plane at the mouth of the Thames River expressed belief today that the enemy craft was shot down.

Three British pursuit planes attacked the plane, striking it with several bursts of machine gun fire. A communique last night said the German plane had escaped by fleeing into a cloud bank, but today the pilots said they thought they had bagged their quarry.

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AUTHOR OF HYMNS DIES

DAYTON, Feb. 14—Death today had claimed the Rev. Rufus H. McDaniels, 90, author of more than 100 hymns. He retired in 1928 as a Congregational Christian minister.

BRITISH JOINING FINNISH FORCE

London Letting Citizens Volunteer For Service Against Russians

LONDON, Feb. 14—Formal announcement that Great Britain has permitted British citizens to volunteer for service in Finland was made in the House of Commons today.

In a written answer to a parliamentary question, Osbert Peake, under-secretary of state for home affairs, declared:

"His majesty's government felt that it would be inconsistent with the spirit of the League of Nations resolution (promising all possible aid to Finland) to prevent British subjects from volunteering for services in Finland by invoking the Foreign Enlistment Act."

"The government therefore has granted license to British subjects to enlist, and also has granted license for a Finnish recruiting office in London."

Peake purposely circulated a written reply in order that Ivan Maisky, Soviet ambassador to London, would be acquainted with the government's decision. Maisky was present in the House of Commons gallery during the House of Commons session but did not hear Peake's reply since the question was not reached before the question hour had ended.

HERBERT LAUDS GOVERNOR FOR SPLENDID WORK

WINCHESTER, Ind., Feb. 14 — Lieutenant Governor Paul Herbert, of Ohio, today left the assertion that no one had starved from hunger in the state during the Republican administration of Gov. John W. Bricker.

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SHOW OF CORN, SOYBEANS TO BE FRIDAY, MARCH 1

Chamber Of Commerce Lists Committees After Tuesday Evening Meeting

MEMORIAL HALL SCENE

Exhibit To Climax Big Week Arranged For Display Of Home Products

The Pickaway County Corn and Soybean Show, sponsored by the Circleville Chamber of Commerce, will be conducted Friday, March 1, in Memorial Hall as a fitting climax to the Manufacturers' and Farmers' Week being sponsored by the business organization.

Plans were made at a meeting conducted Tuesday evening which was attended by Chamber of Commerce officials and other interested persons. It is planned to have exhibits of corn and soybeans with prizes to be given for the products adjudged the best. Entertainment will be provided during the evening's program which will follow a banquet. Other details of the program will be announced at later dates.

Committees were set up at the Tuesday meeting including: Exhibit, classification and premium: Roger Hedges, chairman; Frank Hudson, Roy McCoy, Irvin Yeoman, Homer Reber and Roy Wadlington.

Finance: George P. Foresman, president; Harry Heffner and Lawrence Warner.

Banquet: Herschel Hill, chairman; Dorsey Bumgarner, Paul McKnight, Everett Beers, William Schleich, Ed. C. Rector, Russell Anderson and G. D. Bradley.

Booth: Don Walker, chairman; Dwight Steele, Robert Smith, Harry Carter and Joe Peters.

A meeting of the committees will be conducted Saturday at 2 p. m. in the Farm Bureau home during which additional plans will be discussed.

The event, which is receiving hearty cooperation from many farm leaders, promises to be a big success. More details about the Manufacturers' and Farmers' Weeks will be announced within the next few days.

PORTSMOUTH TO ANNEX CLAY TOWNSHIP AREA

PORTSMOUTH, Feb. 14.—Scioto County Commissioners adopted a resolution formally receiving a petition requesting annexation of a part of Clay Township to the City of Portsmouth and set April 24 as the date of the hearing on the application. A copy of the petition presented S. Anselm Skelton, attorney for the petitioners, was certified to Carl R. Smith, county auditor, for public inspection over a period of 60 days as provided by law.

The annexation proceedings were filed with the commissioners in an effort to make the Rosemont Road and Old Scioto Trails sections north of Portsmouth a part of the incorporated area so that parents would be permitted to send their children to Portsmouth schools rather than to a consolidated school several miles to the father side of the district.

C. OF C. OPPOSES PLAN FOR ASSEMBLY RECALL

COLUMBUS, Feb. 14.—The Ohio Chamber of Commerce today was on record against a special session of the legislature. The chamber, in a bulletin to members, said the recent supreme court decision making motor vehicle license tax money available for relief purposes obviated the need for additional relief legislation this year.

'SANE DRIVING WEEK'

WORCESTER, Mass.—Features of "Sane Driving Week" were a daily parade of wrecked automobiles and showing of the motion picture short "Drunk Driving."

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Mary Martin

fare at the Cliftona Theatre, starting next Sunday when Paramount presents its new musical drama, "The Great Victor Herbert."

The story of "The Great Victor Herbert" represents Producer-Director Andrew Stone's solution of one of the knottiest production problems of the year: how to build a drama around Victor Herbert, a man whose life was singularly lacking the incident and excitement vital to a good film plot?

Court News

PICKAWAY COUNTY

Probate Court
Daniel F. Dunkel guardianship, fifth partial account approved.

Howard C. Brown estate, first and final account filed.

Neille Bonner trusteeship, first partial account filed.

Common Pleas Court
John Swank vs. Elsie Swank, journal entry filed.

Esta Dunn vs. Gerald Dunn, journal entry filed.

Marriage Licenses
Ernest Dozer, 22, Kingston, and Nina Mae Jenkins, Circleville.

Guy C. Glino, 24, Ashville, and Ruth Beers, Circleville RFD.

Real Estate Transfers
Mark E. Jeffries et al. to Richard Reichel, 122 1/2 acres, Scioto Township.

Alfred T. Wiley et al. to Rachel Mountjoy, lots, Tarlton, Ohio.

Sallie Roby Morrison et al. to Burt Cook, et al, part lots, South Bloomfield.

Daniel Steel to J. V. Thomas, lot 50, Ashville.

Alonzo Lowery, deceased, to Vernon M. Lowery et al, affidavit for transfer.

Clarinda Mae Marshall et al. to James M. Marshall, undivided 1/2 interest lot Circleville.

Milton Floyd Looftbourrow, deceased, to Elizabeth Looftbourrow et al, certificate of transfer.

Alan G. Looftbourrow et al. to Elizabeth Looftbourrow, 238.13 acres, Darby Township.

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F. M. Turner et al. to Merle Turner et al, 8 acres, Circleville Township.

R. Rea Bales et al. to Harold S. Deffenbaugh et al, lots, Circleville.

Willard Timmons et al. to Nettie T. Brewer, lot 1555, Circleville.

Real estate mortgages filed, 12: real estate mortgages cancelled, 7; chattel mortgages filed, 40.

FAYETTE COUNTY
Real Estate Transfers

Union Properties Inc. to Wiley Arnett and Lora Arnett, 8.605 acres.

Hughie Backenstoe et al. to Archie Newberry et al, part lot 261, Willard Addition.

Clifford A. Shoultz to Emery Taylor, lot 144, Millwood.

FAIRFIELD COUNTY
Common Pleas Court

McFee Company vs. H. G. Kurreley, defendant's answer filed.

Vaisy Varner vs. Dale Varner, defendant charged with contempt of court order.

Real Estate Transfers
Alexander Richardson to New Plan Savings and Loan Company, Lancaster property.

Edlen and Hazel Dittoe to Ralph W. Dittoe, Lancaster property.

Fairfield Federal Savings and Loan Association to Lowell and Geraldine Frebus, Berne Township property.

W. S. and Pearl Sims to Frank T. Graf, Lancaster property.

ROSS COUNTY
Common Pleas Court

Mahan Finance Company vs.

Extra! News, Popeye, and Pete Smith

The Great VICTOR HERBERT

Allan Jones, Mary Martin, Walter Connolly, Louise Rainer

Extra! News, Popeye, and Pete Smith

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TWO DISTRICTS SEEK REPAIRS FOR ROADWAYS

Derby Residents Appeal To Commissioners To Pave One Mile To CCC

WIDENING SOUGHT, ALSO

Washington Township Wants Old Tarlton Highway Treated With Tar

Road repair projects were demanded by two delegations that visited the regular meeting of the County Commissioners Tuesday at their office at the Court House.

A Derby Township delegation asked that the county commissioners apply a hard surface to a road that extends from the CCC Highway one mile to Derby. In conjunction with the resurfacing they ask that the road be widened two feet on each side.

Presenting a petition to the commissioners signed by the residents along the road, the delegation from Washington Township asked the board to resurface with tar the present gravel pike known as the Old Tarlton Road. The strip of surfacing in question runs for four miles from state route 56 east to the Fairfield County line.

PAROLE BOARD TO AIR WHELAND CASE IN MARCH

COLUMBUS, Feb. 14.—The case of Charles E. Wheland, former Uhrichville banker serving an indeterminate sentence for embezzlement, will be reviewed by the state parole commission on March 18 or 19, it was announced today. Usually a week intervenes between the hearing and the board's decision whether to grant or deny a parole.

Wheland entered the penitentiary on January 1, 1937, to serve 10 to 30 years on his plea of guilty to embezzling \$475,000 in funds of the bank he headed. An investigation by the parole commission revealed the court lacked authority to fix a 10-year minimum sentence and that Wheland should have become eligible for parole a year after he was imprisoned.

Now assigned to the Junction City brick plant, Wheland will be brought to the Ohio penitentiary when his case is reviewed by the parole commission.

FAYETTE MAN CHARGED WITH SUPPORT FAILURE

Ernest Melson, who was charged with non-support in a secret indictment by the grand jury in its recent session, was apprehended Tuesday near Good Hope, Fayette County, and was brought before Common Pleas Judge Meeker Terwilliger for a hearing. A bond of \$200 was posted by Melson pending further action of the court this week.

Leroy and Mary White an dCyrus Kerns, original finding favoring plaintiff restored.

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On The Air

WEDNESDAY

7:30 Burns and Allen, WBNS.

8:00 Johnny Green, WSAI; Al Pearce, WBNS.

8:30 Dr. Christian, WBNS; Cliff Arquette, WLW.

9:00 Kenny Baker, Ken Murray, WBNS; Fred Allen, WLW.

9:30 St. Valentine Program, WKRC.

Later: 10, Kay Kyser, WLW; Glenn Miller, WBNS; 10:30, Ray Verbeck, WHIO; 11, Eddy Rogers, WSB; 11:30, Sammy Kaye, WHIO; Dick Jurgens, WKRC; 12, George Duffy, WJR; Everett Rogaland, WKRC; Deacon Moore, WTAM; 12:30, Gene Krupa, WENR; Vincent Lopez, WBNS; Phil Harris, WKRC.

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BOONE COUNTY JAMBOREE

ON THE STAGE—GRAND THEATRE—ONE DAY ONLY
Friday, February 16th—Afternoon and Evening



The Gasoline That Is "Oked"
More Than Any Other By
Pickaway County Motorists

What county is Lazy Jim Day from?

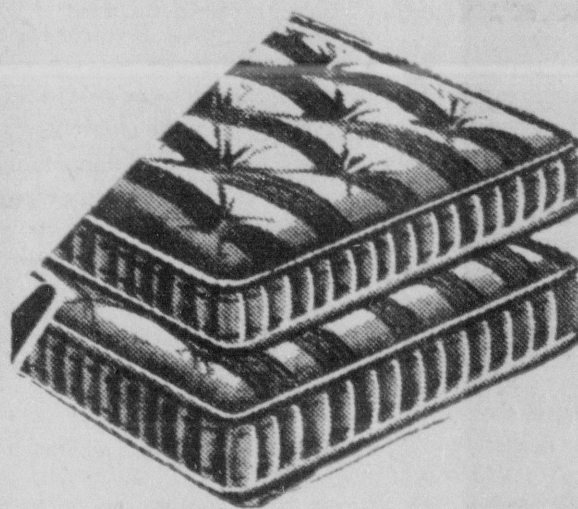
The Circleville Oil Co.
CIRCLEVILLE, OHIO

Free! — Free! THEATRE TICKETS

Read These Rules

1. Read every advertisement on this page. In each ad there appears a question about the Boone County Jamboree which can be answered by attending the show Friday.
2. Then, using one side of paper only, write the questions and along side what you believe to be the correct answers.
3. Mail or bring to the CONTEST EDITOR, in care of this newspaper, as soon as you have prepared your entry.
4. Each of the FIRST twenty correct answers to all ten questions will receive a free theatre ticket, and each winning ticket will admit two persons to see any one of the Grand's coming attractions up to and including February 29.
5. Winners names will be announced in a box on the theatre page, Tuesday, February 20.
6. Employees of the Daily Herald and the Grand Theatre, and members of their families, are not eligible for this contest. The decision of the judges will be final.

—SALE OF FLOOR SAMPLE— INNERSPRING MATTRESSES



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During Our
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Use Our Easy Payment Plan!

Where was Slug Fisher born?

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Don't fall for the HIGH-PRICE GAG

Sure it's a gag to call DEPENDABLE building materials expensive. For you it's the ultimate economy of extra years' service that counts. And it's just that wholesome kind of economy we offer prospective builders have day after day.

What song does Helen Diller sing in her first appearance?

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A BETTER PLACE TO BUY

LUMBER AND BUILDING MATERIAL

WE SELL THE RIGHT THING FOR THE RIGHT PLACE

WLW BOONE COUNTY JAMBOREE

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ON OUR STAGE IN PERSON

GRAND CIRCLEVILLE OHIO

FRIDAY — ONE DAY ONLY

FEATURING

- Hugh Cross and his Radio Pals
- Lazy Jim Day
- Helen Diller
- Denny Slow Foot
- Kentucky Girls (Jo and Alma)
- Kenny Carlson
- Tillie Q. Smith

On the Screen

THE JONES FAMILY "YOUNG AS YOU FEEL"

PRICES For This Attraction Only

Adults	
Main Floor	40c
Balcony Gallery	30c
Children	15c

YOU'VE HEARD THEM ON THE AIR, NOW SEE THEM IN PERSON!

"Better Service" Our Motto

Quality Motor Oil
Quality Gasoline
Yale Tires
Pure Batteries

GOELLER'S SERVICE STATION
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How many persons compromise Hugh Cross and his Radio Pals?

"Prompt, Efficient
Service At
All Times"

RINEHART FUNERAL HOME

PHONE 1376

SCIOTO ST.

What does "Denny" Slowfoot do?

(FOUR RED HOTS)



- Dat—Dorothy Gordon Block and Egg
- Dat—Dundon Lump and Egg
- Dat—Genuine No. 3 Pocahontas Lump
- Dat—Channel Lump Coal
- Am—The Hottest Doggond Coal I Ever Burned

Manufacturer of Concrete Work and Cement Blocks

We Handle Everything in the Builders Supplies Game

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CIRCLEVILLE, OHIO

What is Kenny Carlson's dummy's name?

Complete Line of CHILDREN'S WEAR



- Coats
- Suits
- Dresses
- Socks
- Hats
- Pocket Books

Smart new spring patterns that are tailored to make them the hit of the season.

JOFFE'S

W. MAIN ST.

What does Tillie Q. Smith do?

AFTER THE BIG SHOW ENJOY
SOME OF OUR DELICIOUS

HAMBURGERS



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play?
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does
Cros?
How

Many Other
Delicious Sandwiches

Special On

**Old Bohemian
Beer — 6 cans 59c**

Stone's Grill

116 South Court Street

See the New **INTERNATIONAL TRUCKS**
Now on Display at the

HILL IMP. CO.

What song do the Kentucky girls sing in their second appearance?

Full Line of Farm Equipment—See It Today

AUTHORIZED SALES AND SERVICE
OF INTERNATIONAL TRUCKS

STATE TROOPERS TAKE TWO FROM MARYLAND MOB

Negro Woman And Daughter Spirited Away After Fight In Highway

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Two of the suspects have been arrested, but the third escaped a posse yesterday, after being cornered in a swamp with the Blake women. The women surrendered to the posse.

Pilchard was slain and his wife wounded Sunday night after three Negroes entered their farm home demanding money.

Early last night the mob gathered at the Snow Hill jail, battered in a window, attached a rope to the cell block door, and ripped it from its fastenings. The women were taken from the jail, placed in an automobile, and brought to Stockton.

There the mob was met by a detail of state troopers, and a clash ensued, during which Sergeant W. H. Weber was painfully injured by a club blow on the head.

Weber was able, nevertheless, to direct loading of the prisoners into an automobile. The rescue party headed for the Delaware line.

Taken To Baltimore

From Annapolis, Gov. Herbert O'Connor announced he had been informed by the state police detail that the women had been safely taken from the mob and would be brought to Baltimore for safekeeping today.

The women were not mistreated by the crowd at any time. They were given food and clothing by members of the mob who endeavored to elicit information regarding the suspected Pilchard slayers from them.

The crowd dispersed after the rescue, as unverified reports that one of its number received a gun wound in the leg and another received head injuries.

Gov. O'Connor also reported that two of the three suspects in the Pilchard murder, held in the Salisbury (Md.) jail, had been removed to "a safe place."

Pilchard was killed by a shotgun blast fired into his stomach by one of the marauders. His wife, recovering in a Salisbury hospital, was shot in the back as she fled, screaming, toward the attic of her farm home during the Sunday night attack.

Only Jailer Gordon Bowen and his wife were attending the jail at Snow Hill when the mob began forming.

Sheriff Hall of Worcester County was summoned and he shouted to the crowd:

"We've only got two women in here who are being held for questioning in the case."

The mob dispersed, to return a few minutes later with implements to attack the jail.

The Negro women, fearing bodily harm, cowered screaming in their cells while the cell block door was wrenched from its hinges.

GARDNER'S WIFE AND DAUGHTER SUE FILMS

HOLLYWOOD, Feb. 14.—Complaining that their rights of privacy had been invaded and their reputations injured in filming the picture, "I Stole a Million," the daughter and ex-wife of Roy Gardner, notorious train robber, today had on file a \$150,000 damage suit against Universal Pictures, Inc.

Claire Trevor, the actress who portrayed Gardner's wife, was named defendant in the complaint, along with a number of others.

The daughter, Mrs. Jean G. Janofsky, and the ex-wife, Mrs. Dollie Parkes, charged they had been involved in much unfavorable publicity and that the picture was libelous.

Gardner, who spent many years in federal penitentiaries and was known as the greatest escape artist of them all, was released recently and on January 10 ended his life in San Francisco.

MINISTER'S WIFE DEAD IN MANSFIELD RESIDENCE

Word has been received by Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Morris of Circleville Township of the death of Mrs. C. L. Kern, wife of the Rev. Mr. Kern of Mansfield. Mrs. Kern died Monday at 9:15 a. m. The funeral services were held Wednesday at 2 o'clock in the Main Street Evangelical Church of that city.

The Rev. Mr. Kern, who is a cousin of Mr. Morris, is widely known in the community, having taken part in the special services at Calvary Evangelical Church about two years ago.

COOPER CASE THURSDAY

The A. B. Cooper vs. Linzy Cremins litigation which was originally scheduled for the Common Pleas Court on Tuesday has been changed to Thursday. Cooper brought suit in which he contends that Cremins has refused to honor the notes he signed as security for loans.

Mainly About People

ONE MINUTE PULPIT

Behold, as the eyes of servants look unto the hand of their masters, and as the eyes of a maiden unto the hand of her mistress; so our eyes wait upon the Lord our God, until that he have mercy upon us.—Psalms 123:2.

No change is noted in the conditions of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sobers, seriously burned last Thursday in the Kuhns residence explosion. Both are patients in Berger Hospital.

Circleville Athletic Club members participated in a business session Tuesday evening postponed nomination of officers for 30 days.

The Second Baptist Church, West Mill St. will serve a chicken supper at the church, Thursday, February 15.—50c.—ad.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Fortner and family of Laurelville have received word of the death of their grandson, James Ray, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Fortner of North Vernon, Ind. This death came just a week after the death of their other granddaughter, Marilyn Rose, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Fortner of Laurelville.

The Pocahontas Lodge will sponsor a Bingo game in the Modern Woodmen's Hall, Thursday evening, Feb. 15 at 8 o'clock.—ad.

John Rossiter, injured many weeks ago when he was struck by an automobile in South Court Street, was removed from Grant Hospital, Wednesday, to his home, 347 Logan Street.

The Patriotic Tea planned by the members of the Daughters of Union Veterans for today at the Post room, Memorial Hall, was postponed until a later date.

Dr. Nicholas Doman, Hungarian lecturer, will speak at 8 o'clock Wednesday as the final number of the Rotary Club's Institute of International Understanding. The talk will be heard in the social room of the high school.

About 55 members of Saltcreek Valley Grange, including the degree team attended the meeting of Clarksburg Grange, Monday. Thirteen new members were inducted into Clarksburg Grange by the visiting team.

The meeting of the Circleville Women's—Christian Temperance Union announced for Friday at the home of Mrs. Lawrence Warner, East Main Street, has been postponed indefinitely.

MARKETS

CASH quotations made to farmers in Circleville.

Wheat	98
New Yellow Corn	55
New White Corn	60
Soybeans	94

POULTRY

Springers	12
Old Hens	12
Leghorn Hens	10
Leghorn Springers	12
Old Roosters	10

EGGS

Cream	25
Eggs	20
Cream	25
Eggs	21

CLOSING MARKETS FURNISHED BY THE J. W. ESHELMAN & SONS

WHEAT

Open	High	Low	Close
May	94 1/2	94 1/2	95 1/2
July	94 1/2	94 1/2	95 1/2
Sept.	94 1/2	94 1/2	95 1/2

CORN

Open	High	Low	Close
May	56 1/2	56 1/2	56 1/2
July	56 1/2	56 1/2	56 1/2
Sept.	56 1/2	56 1/2	56 1/2

OATS

Open	High	Low	Close
May	40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2
July	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2
Sept.	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2

CLOSING LIVESTOCK MARKET FURNISHED BY THE PICKAWAY COUNTY FAIR BUREAU CINCINNATI

RECEIPTS—1,300; Cattle, 300; Calves, 200; Lambs, 100.

RECEIPTS—17,000; holdover 2,000, slow steady; Mediums, 220 to 280 lbs., \$4.10 to \$5.50; Cattle, steady; Calves, 1,000; Lambs, 2,000.

INDIANAPOLIS

RECEIPTS—5,600; Above 160 lbs., 10c lower; Lighter weights, 15c lower; Heavies, 20c to 30c lbs., \$4.85; Mediums, 200 to 210 lbs., \$5.55; Lights, 150 to 160 lbs., \$5.00; Sows, \$3.00 to \$4.50; Cattle, steady; 1,200; Steers, \$7.75 to \$9.00; Heifers, \$8.25 to \$8.75; Calves, 200, 50c lower; 1,150; Lambs, 700, steady, \$9.00 to \$9.25.

BUFFALO

RECEIPTS—200; Cattle, 100; Calves, 100; Lambs, 200.

MRS. SUSAN M. JADWIN IS DEAD AT KINGSTON

Mrs. Susan M. Jadwin, 83, wife of James Jadwin, died Tuesday at 8:40 p. m. at her home east of Kingston, complications causing death. Mrs. Jadwin was a daughter of George and Abbie Crawford Dill. Her husband is her only survivor.

DRIFTS BLOCK MANY HIGHWAYS THROUGH STATE

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cables was a minimum because of the comparative low wind velocity. Circleville school children were forced to wade through snow sometimes knee-deep because the city has no funds with which to hire plows and teams. Service Director Leonard Morgan and his aides were doing all they could to relieve the situation, but their funds are gone and naturally their work is curtailed.

Warmer temperatures in the southern sections of the state kept melting a lighter snowfall that added to the rising waters of the Ohio. Ohio river traffic moved for the first time since January 17, but it is not known at present whether the river will remain open. Visibility was very poor and air traffic was halted. Eastbound planes from Chicago and other western points were unable to land.

Extreme caution in driving was urged by the Highway Patrol and motorists were warned not to venture on the roads unless absolutely necessary. Cindering operations were impossible because of the wind and drifting snow.

ATLANTA

By Margaret Ellen Evans

W. E. Hancock of Lancaster spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Warner.

Mrs. Daisy Stinson and Mrs. Alice Conrad attended a combined meeting of the Missionary and Aid organizations at the New Holland M. E. Church Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Hughes visited Thursday with Mr. Hughes' mother, Mrs. Alice Hughes of Clarksburg.

Russ Henry spent Thursday night in Columbus with Howard Duval.

J. F. Willis attended a meeting of the county school board at Circleville Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Canup and Harry Townsend were Tuesday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Hamman and family.

Mrs. Pearl Ater and son Gary visited Thursday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Henry and Mrs. Barbara Wolfe.

Mrs. Daisy Stinson and Mrs. Bertha Ater were guests at a tea given at the M. E. Church in New Holland Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Charles Ater and daughter Mabel spent Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Earl Ater.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Canup entertained the Euchre club to a supper Saturday evening at 6:30. Included in the guest list were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bush, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mills, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Tarbill, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Evans, and Mr. and Mrs. John Farmer Jr. Euchre was the diversion of the evening and at the close of play prizes were won by Mr. Bush, Mrs. Mills, traveling, and Mrs. Evans, lawn.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Dean of Clarksburg were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ward Dean and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Skinner and Mrs. Myron Flesher and children of Columbus were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Skinner and daughter Betty and Evelyn Flesher.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bogen of Columbus, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Tarbill and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Peck were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Voelker and children of Columbus. They also attended the matinee showing of the production, "Gone With The Wind," in Columbus that afternoon.

There will be Lenten services at the Methodist Church Friday evening.

Miss Edith Spangler and Mrs. Mark Cook spent Saturday in Lancaster, O., with Mrs. Leona Jacks.

Miss Jean Hanawalt of Five Points visited Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Harris.

Mrs. Clydes Fausnaugh of Circleville, O., spent Wednesday with her mother Mrs. Eva Hedges.

PAYROLL SOARS

CAMDEN, N. J., — With 6,734 employees working steadily and a weekly payroll of \$260,000, employment and wage payments are nearly a "peacetime high" at the New York Shipbuilding Company, Camden, where six vessels are under construction for the United States Navy.

MICHIGAN BIRTHS SOAR

LANSING, Mich., — Requests for birth certificates reached an all-time high in Michigan during 1938, the state health department revealed, pointing out the increase was due to growth of social security, group insurance and similar programs. County clerks throughout the state were likewise swamped with requests.

STRIPS BEER TAVERN CLEAR

CHICAGO—Maybe this thief wanted to steal his way into the business world. He stripped a beer tavern of all its stock, including the cash register and beer coils. All he needs to open his own tavern is a location.

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By STANLEY



Valentine's Day Finds Film Colony In News

HOLLYWOOD, Feb. 14.—Appropriately enough, Hollywood affairs of the heart were the talk of the town this St. Valentine's Day.

First there was the surprise elopement (most elopements in Hollywood don't surprise anybody) of Artie Shaw, the band leader who turned his back on swing (of which he was king) and beautiful Lana Turner, the auburn-tressed film starlet.

Then Ginger Rogers, the actress whose nimble toes have carried her to great screen triumphs, let it be known that she was going to Reno to divorce Lew Ayres, the actor, from whom she has been separated the last three years.

To top it off, who should be seen dining together in a swank Hollywood restaurant but Ruby Keeler and her estranged mate, Al Jolson?

Such noteworthy developments concerning some of the film colony's most eminent celebrities, all in the space of 24 hours, kept the gossip writers on their toes and working overtime. It was, in brief, a big day for Hollywood.

Miss Turner, 19, a former Idaho high school girl, and Shaw stole away from Hollywood early yesterday in a chartered plane and

flew to Las Vegas, Nev., where, at 4 a. m., they were married by a justice of the peace.

Both Talkative

Then they flew back to Hollywood and were very talkative about it, because, it seemed that everybody in Hollywood had taken it for granted that the young starlet was going to marry Greg Bautzer, a young Hollywood lawyer, and that Shaw's chief romantic interest was Actress Betty Grable, now in New York.

Said Miss Turner: "We just decided to get married. I guess it was just love."

Said Shaw: "I've decided to give up a lot of studying now and devote myself to studying Lana."

When Attorney Bautzer heard about it, he said simply: "I wish them all the luck in the world. Shaw is a lucky fellow."

In New York, Betty Grable pondered over a letter she said she had just received from Shaw. "It was a very affectionate one, too," she said.

Ginger Rogers admitted that she and Lew Ayres are the best of friends, but there wasn't a chance of patching up their marital troubles.

"We have been separated a long time," she said, "and I am leaving for Reno as soon as my studio schedule gives me enough time to establish a residence in Nevada."

Linked With Hughes

The actress' name has been romantically linked from time to time with that of Howard Hughes, the record-breaking aviator and sportsman.

Al Jolson flew in from Florida and invited Ruby, who secured an interlocutory decree of divorce from him last December 26, to dine with him.

Asked if they were reconciled, Ruby countered with: "We both have to eat."

She would say no more. Al, whose heart is said to be elsewhere, explained thusly: "I'd give my life if it were true, but I came from Florida to see about my fighter, Henry Armstrong and I called Ruby and asked her to have dinner with me, and she accepted. That's all there is to it."

INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION HEARS HOFFMAN'S PLEA

The referee of the Ohio Industrial Commission heard testimony Tuesday in the Grand Jury room at the Court House in the case of William H. Hoffman who is asking compensation for loss of health while employed at the Container Corporation of America.

Employment at the corporation aggravated a heart and tubercular condition, Hoffman maintained, and he has been unable to work since December, 1938. Hoffman, represented by Joseph Adkins, asked for compensation from that date.

ANOTHER COSTUMED HYMN PANTOMIME ON SCHEDULE

In connection with the second Wednesday evening Lenten service the Trinity Lutheran League will present another fully costumed hymn pantomime, "Jesus, Lover of My Soul", at 7:30 p. m. Wednesday.

The actors and the characters portrayed are Margaret Adkins, Mary Magdalene; Miriam Brown, Widow of Nain; Lena Mae Webb, Woman at the Well. The singers who will accompany the pantomime are Mrs. John Himrod, Norma Jean Wolf, Mrs. Dorothy Hosler and Iona Quincel. Ned Dresbach did the special lighting effects. Mrs. Russell Skaggs and Mrs. G. L. Troutman are in charge of the production.

Following the Lenten Service, the second in the series of lectures on the doctrines and teachings of the church will be presented. The subject is "The Second Table of God's Holy Law."

132 RABBITS IMPORTED FROM MISSOURI LANDS

The arrival of 132 rabbits from Clinton, Missouri, for distribution in the county is expected Wednesday by Clarence Frances, county game protector. The rabbits have all been tested for disease and will be released Wednesday and Thursday in areas in the county where food will be available and hunting is permitted.

Another shipment of 100 more is expected later. The rabbits are being imported as part of the program to restock Ohio's game and strengthen this state's breed with the hardy Missouri cottontails.

JOHN G. WARD TO RUN FOR SHERIFF'S POST

John G. Ward, Jr., 340 East Union Street, announced Wednesday that he had obtained a petition and would be a candidate for the Democratic nomination for sheriff.

MAKING PENNIES COUNT

DETROIT.—Costs of manufacture in autos are computed in tenths, even hundredths, of a cent, reports the Automobile Manufacturers association, pointing out that the circulative result of such fine shaving is important in cost to consumer because each vehicle consists of approximately 2,000 distinguishable units, embracing 15,000 parts.

16th TROPHY FOR KINNICK

IOWA CITY, Ia., Feb. 13.—Nile Kinnick, University of Iowa all-America halfback, today had his 16th trophy of the 1939 football season. Between halves of the Iowa-Ohio State basketball game last night, Kinnick was presented with a full size silver football, emblematic of his selection as the most valuable player to his team in the Big Ten conference.

NATION PLEADS FOR MEN, GUNS

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tured. Planes carried out reconnaissance flights and bombed enemy troops and military objectives.")

Rules of War Broken

In addition to the appeal by the general staff spokesman, the Finnish foreign office sent notes to the ministers of foreign powers charging that Soviet Russia has broken all the internationally agreed on rules of warfare. The notes contained statistical details of Soviet aerial attacks on Finnish civilians and hospitals.

Advices to Helsinki estimated that the Russians have lost between 15,000 and 20,000 men (some sources put the losses as high as 40,000) since the Russian Karelian offensive began fourteen days ago.

Two hundred Soviet tanks have been destroyed during the last three days, it was asserted.

Authorities denied that Summa had fallen into Russian hands but admitted it has been subjected to terrific pressure. Yesterday, they said, several hundred Russian planes bombed and machine-gunned the city, while more than 200 tanks attacked the Summa sector of the Mannerheim defenses.

Russian bombers also dropped their lethal cargoes on various southern Finnish cities, including Viborg, Lahti, Borge, Heinola and Sortavala. Two persons were reported killed.

Borga Suffers Most

Borga suffered the heaviest aerial bombardment. Thirty Russian planes attacked the city, dropping incendiary bombs which started 28 huge fires, wounded a number of persons but failed to kill any victims.

This attack was described as the greatest incendiary air raid of the war and it left the city of Borga virtually a huge bonfire. Hundreds of persons were rendered homeless.

Finnish headquarters furnished a graphic picture of the fighting on the Isthmus, asserting that the Russians are firing 300,000 shells daily into Summa alone where the chief action still is centered.

In addition, the Russian high command has thrown all the men, tanks and artillery batteries at its disposal into the fray along the entire battle line, supported by several hundred planes which yesterday bombed and machine gunned Finnish forces.

Last night, as the warfare continued without cessation, severe hand-to-hand fighting occurred and the Finns resorted not to rifles and pistols but to the small daggers which virtually every Finn carries—and knows how to use.

As day dawned over the grim, bloody struggle, the word came back to Helsinki from the front that the Finns are "still holding the line intact."

Line Proper Held

Authorities here pointed out that as the tide of battle wavers back and forth, the Russians have been able to occupy certain Mannerheim Line positions. But they claimed that since the Finns still can counter-attack freely, there is no basis for claims that the Russians have penetrated into the Mannerheim Line proper.

With reference to Russia's claim yesterday that 32 fortified Finnish positions had been captured, it was declared on high authority that certain positions temporarily gained by the Russians had been recaptured by the Finns in violent fighting.

But it was evident that the Russians now are hitting the Mannerheim Line at the left and right

flanks and center with the most sustained mechanized offensive and most concentrated artillery action that has occurred in Europe since 1918 in a desperate effort to crack the line before the spring thaw sets in.

Should the Russians score a clean break through, observers believed, it would mean virtually the end of the war and Finland's defeat. But if the Red army succeeds only in denting the line, they may find themselves in a dangerous salient where they could be subjected to a withering cross fire, it was believed.

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BILL TO EXPAND NAVY APPROVED

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strength from 3,000 to 4,500 planes, thus giving the nation a combined army-navy air force of 10,000 planes.

Paving the way for a possible super-ship building program, the committee wrote the bill so that the navy itself can fix the exact size of ships. The navy, it is indicated, may build cruisers far bigger than the present 10,000-ton ships.

In a letter approving the bill but still adhering to the original program, Secretary Edison said that the measure "is in accord with the financial program of the president."

But, a battle still loomed in the house over action of the committee including a \$3,000,000 item for improvement of the harbor of Guam in the \$966,000,000 annual naval supply bill.

VATICAN CLAIMS NEW VIOLATIONS BY NAZI DECREES

LONDON, Feb. 14.—"Further measures" taken against the Catholic Church in Germany during the last seven months were described by a Vatican radio broadcast, Reuters (British) news agency reported today.

The agency reported that a German bulletin broadcast by the Vatican station said:

"German authorities have dissolved the Catholic Union of Civil Servants, the Catholic University Union, the Children of St. Mary and organizations of Catholic mothers and Catholic women."

"All Catholic private schools still open have been ordered to close on April 1 . . . four Austrian monasteries and convents have been expropriated and state contributions to the church are discontinued."

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STORM WARNING POSTED

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—The U. S. weather bureau today reported a storm of "marked intensity" centered over western Virginia moving eastward or east-northeastward, attended by strong shifting winds reached gale force later in the day.

MILLION FOR BUILDING

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., — Permits for \$1,188,142 worth of building construction, repairs and alterations were issued in this resort community in 1939, city bureau officials reported. The 1938 total was \$1,066,832.

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G. O. P. STUDIES PHILADELPHIA AS CITY FOR CONFAB

Easterners Favor Historic City, Nomination On July Fourth

WESTERNERS OPPOSED

Democrats May Meet Two Weeks After Opponents, Farley Hints

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14 — A proposal to hold the Republican National Convention in historic Philadelphia, timed to bring about the nomination of the G.O.P. standard-bearer on July 4, was discussed today on Capitol Hill.

Sponsors of this plan would rededicate the Republican party to a profession of constitutional government and to the great principles of human rights enunciated in the declaration of independence. They would launch the campaign on a high patriotic note with rites at Independence Hall and a pilgrimage to the Shrine of the Liberty Bell, that once called Americans to battle for freedom.

The plan has opposition from westerners and others, who wish to take the convention to Chicago on the ground that the Midwest will be the great battle ground of the 1940 election. Far westerners and southwesterners oppose the long cross-country trip to Philadelphia, despite the lure of a July 4 session near Independence Hall.

The July 4 motif however may be transferred to Chicago, since G.O.P. opinion is crystallizing on a convention date between June 18 and July 9. To use July 4 for the nomination day, the Republicans would convene their convention July 2. This may be the date selected, although June 18, June 25 and July 9 have their advocates.

The Democrats incidentally will meet exactly two weeks after the Republicans gather. Democratic National Chairman James A. Farley, who was empowered to fix the date of his party's convention, has told intimates he favors the second Tuesday after the G.O.P. convention. Thus, if the Republicans meet July 2, the Democrats will meet July 16. This would be in keeping with tradition, in which one party has followed the other into convention by a fortnight.

SOUTH AMERICA DRAWS TWO FAMED CONDUCTORS

NEW YORK, Feb. 14—Leopold Stokowski, the famous orchestra conductor who recently announced plans for a South American tour, has a rival, it was disclosed today.

That other famous conductor, Arturo Toscanini, is also considering a tour to South America where he began his career more than 50 years ago.

Both leaders are conducting competitive negotiations with South American officials, it was learned. Stokowski is already conducting auditions for his orchestra under auspices of the National Youth Administration. Toscanini was said to be anxious to make the tour and was reported to have lowered his customary high fees because of his sentimental attachment to South America.

NEED CITED FOR HORSE AND BUGGY PHYSICIAN

CHICAGO, Feb. 14—The horse and buggy doctor, far from being outdistanced by the age of speed, is sorely needed in the medical profession today.

The virtues that made the horse and buggy doctor a healer, confidant and family counselor are needed anew to reestablish public confidence in the medical profession, Dr. Irving S. Cutter, dean of the Northwestern University Medical School, told the congress on medical education and licensure yesterday in Chicago.

PETTENGILL

"The Gentleman from Indiana"

WITH MALICE TOWARD NONE

It is seldom that people speak of "President" Lincoln, Grant, Johnson, Buchanan, Polk, Fillmore, Pierce and others were "President." But Lincoln is remembered as "Abraham." His greatness came from the man within, not from the office he held. It is thus that plain people unconsciously sift and winnow men. George Washington, Thomas Jefferson, Abraham Lincoln, Robert E. Lee! When men are knighted by the titles their mothers gave them, it is beyond all human effort to add or detract. They are then bigger than the greatest office in the world.

The mysterious light that surrounds the name of Lincoln cannot be broken into its prismatic fragments. It remains inexplicable and entire. But if his personality could be divided into its constituent parts, I am certain you would find that Lincoln's kindness is the ultra violet which penetrates the affections of mankind.

We put too much stock on greatness and not enough on goodness, too much on law, too little on men. Lincoln's boyhood kindness to animals is part of the mystery. Then years later as President-elect, riding in the caboose of a freight train on a long winter's journey to visit for the last time the old stepmother who had been good to him when he was motherless. And the little girl, who in the heat of his campaign for President, wrote that "if you would let your whiskers grow the ladies would tease their husbands to vote for you and then you would be President!" And Lincoln's reply in his own hand, and soon the whiskers, as all later pictures show!

But a part of kindness is justice. Without justice, kindness deteriorates into softness. Lincoln was kind. He was just. We need these qualities today and need them bitterly.

Lincoln said, "We shall nobly save or meanly lose this last best hope of earth," — a society of free men, equal before the law and with equal right at the doors of opportunity.

If this "last best hope of earth" is saved, its salvation will come only from men and women. How can there be a "social conscience" without a personal conscience? Programs are futile in themselves. "Liberalism" cannot save America, but liberal and just men and women can.

It was not government that overthrew slavery; it was Wilberforce and Wendell Phillips and William Lloyd Garrison and Harriet Beecher Stowe. It was not the thirteen Colonies that wrote the Declaration of Independence, it was Jefferson. It was not the Chief Executive who spoke at Gettysburg; it was Lincoln.

What caused free enterprise to be so discredited in recent years? Is it not that too often men in positions of great responsibility, whether in public or private life, forgot that every position is a public trust? A deserved confidence is the "priceless ingredient." It is beyond the State to confer. You cannot incorporate kindness. You cannot legislate justice. But without them no system of free enterprise, or free government can long endure. When these are gone, there is only one thing left—Force. There can be no bricks without straw; No prosperous nation without industrious men and women; no great State without great citizens.

Men are beginning to say all over America that the real problem is a revival of the human spirit, which was wrung hard and dry by the World War. Call this religion if you please. I believe it to be profoundly true. We need statesmen in industry far more than legislation.

Men lose faith in banks when they lose faith in bankers. They lose faith in free enterprise when its managers break faith. When public officials are no longer trusted, free government is no longer trusted. Every failure of character brings the new Caesars closer. The one thing that can prevent their coming is that all men, but particularly those in positions of responsibility and leadership, develop a code that certain things simply "aren't done"—the noblest oblige of democracy. We have had, still have, that kind of men.

I do not say that men are more important than principles. Nevertheless men in the mass do not follow programs. They follow men. If these men are worthy of trust, they will be trusted, and the principles they believe in will be believed in, also.

There is not a public official, factory manager, leader of labor or agriculture, or any American anywhere who can shoulder off onto the State his responsibility to be fair, decent, generous and just. This "last best hope of earth" depends on him.

Call it what you will. If the Golden Rule seems shopworn, call it "the square deal," call it sportsmanship, decency, justice, kindness. In the long run, its "absence" makes all other virtues valueless, its presence, all hardships endurable."

SAMUEL B. PETTENGILL

ILLICIT PICKLE DEAL

NEW YORK—Delicatessen Dealer Meyer Lansky, 65, was found guilty of selling 2 cents worth of pickles after 10 a. m. on Sunday in violation of New York's Sabbath law. He was given a suspended sentence.

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KENNEDY GOES BACK TO LONDON POSITION SOON

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14—Joseph P. Kennedy, U. S. ambassador to England, today prepared to return to his London post within 10 days, after definitely removing his name from consideration for the 1940 Democratic presidential nomination.

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ASHVILLE

By S. D. Fridley

Ashville, Phone 79

Several of those new, easy "turn-around-the-corner" plows are being made ready for operation up at the T. A. Boor work shop and when the spring plowing season arrives, they will be given a thorough test and tryout upon several farms.

Leroy McDonald, quite sick for a couple of weeks is able to be about his home again. . . . The Holtreys of Walnut Township and who had hoped to move into their new Ashville home yesterday was "snowed out" and did not move.

The gentle and lucky auto smash on the West Side suddenly interfered with our inspection of things about the elevators, so we go back to it again. The Ashville Grain Company office has been considerably changed about, and if we are to pass on it, would say "much improved." And across the street at the Selco Grain office among other things, are 40 White Rock chicks feeding themselves into broiler frying skillets. These are divided into two lots and fed on different rations as an experiment.

—Here we met Farmer Frank Wharton who recently moved from Harrison Township to the O. D. Mader farm in Walnut Township. Mr. Wharton told us that of the 20 brood sows he has on the farm, three gave birth to 43 pigs a few days ago and that of these, 36 are yet living and doing fine. And also on this Mader farm is a constant flowing spring and which did not cease flowing during the zero weather of a few days ago.

Ashville—John Sark, wife, and Mrs. John

Hay, (the women sisters) are in San Marcos, Texas, territory and word from them is, that they are having a fine time. Plenty of warm sunshine with the grass growing and flowers blooming about them. They are expected home sometime in early March. While John has not said so in any of his letters home, but it is a safe bet he'll be hunting up Jack Garner and be telling that "bad old man" about how Ohio is all for him.

Snow in knee-deep drifts is plentiful in Ashville this morning and the sidewalk shovelers are getting plenty good experience. . . . The Ashville-Lockbourne Lutheran brotherhoods are holding their annual meeting at the local Lutheran Church this evening with program including speaker and banquet. . . . The local school board was in session yesterday evening, transacting no business except the paying of bills.

In the death of Irvin J. Swayer yesterday afternoon at his home in Harrison Township the community loses another of its well known personages. In recent years he was a frequent visitor here and always had a kindly smile and word for all. Had he lived until this coming July he would have celebrated his 84th birthday.

FAYETTE COOPERATIVE'S 1939 BUSINESS BETTER

WASHINGTON, C. H., Feb. 14—The Fayette County Producers Commission Association, one of the three major livestock buying firms here, did 63 percent more business in 1939 than in the previous year, the annual report shows. The total was \$1,506,978. Thomas H. Icothe Parent-Teachers Association.

SOLOM PRAISES TAFT, BRICKER AT CLUB DINNER

COLUMBUS, Feb. 14—A speech by Congressman Dewey Short (R), Missouri, in which he lauded both U. S. Sen. Robert A. Taft and Governor Bricker, was interpreted by political observers today as an indication that the Ohio chief executive still was considered a "dark horse" possibility for the GOP presidential nomination. Short is said to be an aspirant for the Republican vice presidential nomination.

Addressing 500 members of the Buckeye Republican club at their annual dinner commemorating Lincoln's birthday, Short played the New Deal and said that Taft and Bricker "are eminently qualified for any gift within the power of the American people."

(While Taft is campaigning openly for the honor of being the Republican standard bearer in 1940, Bricker has denied that he aspired to the honor. However, re-

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ports have persisted that the governor might be entered as a "dark horse" candidate in case Taft failed to get the support of delegates at the GOP national convention.)

Short urged Republicans to "get mad about the New Deal and stay mad until the wrong is righted." He asserted that the Roosevelt administration had spent enough to boost the national debt to \$50,000,000,000, which he said was \$5,000,000,000 more than the legal limitation.

SOIL PROGRAM LEADERS RECEIVE INSTRUCTIONS

The Pickaway County township committees of the Soil Conservation Administration met Tuesday at the Farm Bureau for instruction in aligning farmers for the 1940 corn program. The three man committee of each township has been instructed as to the requirements and the crop quotas of each township.

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At the top of the above vertical lines are numbers representing dates in January. The horizontal lines represent degrees of temperature corresponding to the thermometer at the left. The dotted line shows the mean temperatures for 1939 and the solid line 1940. On only four days—Jan. 12, 13, 14 and 23—were the mean temperatures warmer than in 1939. The shaded portion shows the degrees of increased cold over 1939 for the other 27 days of the month. All temperature readings were taken in Central Ohio near the geographical center of the territory served by The Gas Company.

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MAKING DEMOCRACY REAL

THE period between Lincoln's and Washington's birthdays has been named by the mayor of Cleveland as a time for citizens to pay special attention to "Democracy Now", particularly as practiced or encouraged in that city. One feature of the programs to be arranged will be a public celebration to honor half a dozen group work agencies that promote democracy.

Probably every city in the United States has some groups doing something special to strengthen democracy. Adult education classes, public forums, clubs for boys and girls which stress cooperation and fair play, councils composed of representatives of Jewish, Catholic and Protestant churches that strive for mutual understanding and tolerance, international clubs that do the same thing for foreign-born Americans of different national backgrounds—these are a few of the agencies and their contributions that come to mind. Not all would be found in every city, but one or more, or other of the same usefulness would be there.

We talk of democracy a great deal of late. It is well to point out that we also do something about it right along. There is much more to do, but we may be more encouraged to go on if we recognize the service of the groups already at work.

To the Nazis there are no neutrals; "he that is not with us is against us."

FINLAND AT THE FAIR

FINLAND has agreed to maintain its building and exhibits at the New York World's Fair next season. The contract was signed in December, while Russian bombs were dropping on Helsinki and the Finns were stopping the first Russian advance on the Karelia Isthmus. It was not made public because some Finnish officials feared Americans might consider it in bad taste for a country fighting for its life to participate in a World's Fair.

Now that the news has come out, the doubtful authorities are likely to be agreeably surprised. The reaction of the average American is fresh admiration for Finland's courage and common sense. It is safe to say that the Finnish building, popular last summer, will be the object of even more attention now.

The pavilion itself, which occupies 10,000 square feet, will be unchanged. The restaurant was so well patronized however, that it is to be enlarged.

Everyone hopes that the Finnish people will have whipped the Russians and saved their independence by next summer. Whether they have or whether things have gone tragically against them, many tributes of respect and sympathy will be paid by visitors to that building. If the worst

Daily Washington Merry-Go-Round

BY DREW PEARSON AND ROBERT S. ALLEN,

"THIRD LOUISIANA PURCHASE"

WASHINGTON—According to most of the people of Louisiana there have been two Louisiana Purchases. One was in 1803 when the struggling young Government of the United States purchased the vast Louisiana territory from France.

The second was in 1936 when the Roosevelt Administration suddenly wired the U. S. district attorney in New Orleans to drop the income tax suits against Seymour Weiss and other Huey Long supporters. Shortly thereafter Seymour Weiss, previously bitter against Roosevelt, appeared at the Democratic National Convention in Philadelphia as an enthusiastic Roosevelt rooster, and the entire Louisiana delegation voted for Roosevelt's nomination.

Now in 1940 comes the report of a Third Louisiana Purchase. A good part of New Orleans is buzzing with rumor that the grand jury investigation of the Maestri-Long machine, which rules southern Louisiana, suddenly has been dropped on orders from Washington. Furthermore, it is reported that in return for this the Maestri-Long machine will support Roosevelt for a third term.

The run-off primary election in Louisiana takes place on February 20, winding up the hot gubernatorial race between Huey's brother, Earl Long, and Sam Jones. Further indictments of the Maestri-Long machine would of course tend to swing the election to Jones, which for the first time in years would free Louisiana from Hueyism.

THE REAL FACTS

Rumors of a Third Louisiana Purchase have become so persistent recently that The Washington Merry-Go-Round has made a careful check of the facts, and is able to report the following:

The first primary election in Louisiana this year took place on January 16. The week before January 16, a federal grand jury was sitting in New Orleans considering indictments for selling hot oil. Among those whom the grand jury had under investigation were William Helis, one of the biggest oil operators in Louisiana, and his partner, Robert Maestri, Mayor of New Orleans and backbone of the Long machine.

On Friday, January 12, while the grand jury was in session, John Rogge, Assistant Attorney General in charge of the Justice Department's criminal division, got a telephone call from Washington and stepped out of the jury room. He had been in New Orleans handling the Louisiana prosecution personally and had done a spectacular job.

Rogge was absent from the jury room for nearly an hour. When he returned, he informed the grand jury that he had been talking to Washington, and that it was Washington's wishes that no political figures be indicted until after elections.

This provoked considerable resentment from the grand jury, one of whose leaders protested: "Aren't we the grand jury?" (Continued on Page Ten)

should come, it may be taken for granted that friends of Finland will maintain the Finnish buildings as friends of Czechoslovakia last year kept the Czech building open.

WORLD AT A GLANCE

—By—
Charles P. Stewart

IN SIZING UP what the Japanese government says and what the Japanese army says it always is necessary to take into account the fact that it always is the Japanese army, not the Tokyo government, which decides Nippon's peace—or-war questions.

The Japanese-American commercial treaty having now been terminated, by Uncle Sam, against the mikado's wishes, relations between the two countries are pretty critical. The Washington state department certainly doesn't want physical trouble. Neither does the Tokyo foreign office. Tokyo has warned Nippon's military command in China to avoid friction with the United States in the militarists' region of activities on the Asiatic mainland. The militarists, however, already have begun to make themselves unpleasant in Occidental spheres of interest in China.

News dispatches quote a Japanese army spokesman to this effect: "If we are going to die, we will die fighting—against America, or anybody."

From that source this remark is exactly what was to have been expected. Japan's civilian diplomacy is rational. Its military group is cuckoo. It doesn't care much

what the fight's about, but it proposes to win or perish, no matter what the issue is.

ARMY AND NAVY

American naval experts take the situation more seriously than American army men do. The reason's obvious. If there's a Japanese-American conflict it will be a sea war. Naturally, we shan't send an army expeditionary force to the Orient. If there's a war it necessarily will have to be fought off the Hawaiian and Guam islands and in Asiatic waters.

Professionally speaking, our land scrappers don't worry. The thing, if any, will be none of their funeral.

Nor is our navy crowd afraid that we can't lick the Japanese fleet. They'll be at a certain advantage, considering that whatever happens will be right in their oceanic front yard, while it will be a 2,000 or 3,000-mile range from California. Still, our folk don't doubt that they can attend to the Japanese alone. Their anxiety is lest, while we're busy with Japan, a lot of European belligerents begin raising hades with us on our Atlantic coast. That's why our navy strategists are yowling so loudly for a two-ocean navy.

The Japanese navy also has more sense than the Japanese

army has. Japanese naval commanders, realizing that they're beatable are tolerably reasonable. But the army's rampagous.

JAPAN'S SUPPLIES

The truth is that Japan's supplies come mainly from the United States. It's been true hitherto, even in the Japanese campaign against China. With all such American supplies cut off, as they would be by an embargo, Japan would be in "Hell's own hole," to quote a vulgar expression.

In short: Suppose the Japanese were to fight the United States. In order to fight, they'd have to get their raw fighting materials from the U. S. A., which naturally wouldn't let them have it. And they can't produce their own.

The nub of it is that the Japs couldn't last long. Nevertheless, it would be a nasty mess.

The state department doesn't like the idea. The Tokyo government doesn't like it, either. It's a contest between the state department and Japanese militarists—not between Washington and Tokyo diplomats.

So—we might have a war with Japan!

LAFF-A-DAY



"Oh dear, jealous darling! You know very well I wouldn't be with him a minute if YOU could do my homework."

DIET AND HEALTH

Rare or Well-Done? Science Answers

By LOGAN CLENDENING, M. D.
IS THERE any scientific basis for a preference for rare or well-done meat?

Experimental studies of the effect on the nutritive value of food from cooking are of comparatively recent date. Morgan and King showed that the more prolonged the heating, the less efficient was meat in maintaining nitrogen balance and in promoting growth in young animals. This confirms the belief of most people that rare meat is the most nutritious. You have to eat more well-done steak or roast beef to get the essential growth-producing qualities.

The proteins in wheat show the same tendency. The nutritive value Dr. Clendening will answer questions of general interest only, and then only through his column.

of the crust of bread is less than that of the crumb. This, however, takes only the wheat protein into account. The starch is just as effective.

The situation is reversed in the high protein vegetables. Beans, peas, lima beans, navy beans and soy beans are notable in the vegetable kingdom as containing high amounts of protein. But if eaten raw, this protein has practically no, or very low, nutritive value. Cooking, however, changes the arrangement of the chemicals so that they can be utilized by the body cells to replace tissue and help in the up-building of new cells.

Cooking really helps nutrition in other less direct ways. It improves appetite and also facilitates digestion. An exclusively raw diet is unsuited for man today after his long experience with so-called civilization.

Tongue-Tie Often Corrects Itself

Should a tongue-tied baby be operated on? Tongue-tie is the condition where the frenum—the little cord in the median line under the tongue—is short or absent or placed so far forward that the tongue cannot be raised or protruded normally. Sometimes the tongue is even forked from this cause.

It usually produces no symptoms or trouble. It never causes difficulty in nursing, never causes delayed speech, and only in rare cases causes any interference with articulation.

The situation is usually discovered by a zealous mother or father. Usually it should be let alone. The frenum elongates anyway with growth and tongue-tie corrects itself. If the tongue can be protruded to the external margin of the lips, it may safely be let alone.

In severe cases, however, it is not difficult to correct it. The tip of the tongue is raised and the firm tendon-like part of the frenum is clipped. There are quite fair-sized blood vessels running in the frenum and care must be observed to avoid these. Such minor operations are probably done more often than necessary.

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Looking Back in Pickaway County

FIVE YEARS AGO

Miss Ann Leist, teacher of North High School, Columbus, was a patient in University Hospital, Columbus, where she was recovering from a serious pelvic fracture which she had suffered in an automobile accident.

Wayne Brown, Madison Township, reported to the sheriff's office that 15 bushels of corn were stolen from his property.

Tom Renick was elected president of the Circleville Chapter of the National Aeronautical association at its annual meeting.

10 YEARS AGO

Nineteen sheep claims amounting to \$888.98, filed by various residents of Pickaway County, were allowed by the county commissioners at their weekly meeting.

The fifty-sixth annual report of the public library of Circleville since its beginning in 1873 showed that in 1929, 41,993 books were circulated through the library, a gain of 1,352 books over the previous year.

Mrs. Paul Cromley entertained 16 guests at a bridge party at her home in Ashville. Mrs. Clyde Brinker and Mrs. Chester Rockey were the winners of two beautiful prizes.

25 YEARS AGO

Mrs. Elgar Barrere entertained

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at two bridge parties honoring Miss Mary Barrere of Hillsboro. More than 50 guests accepted her hospitality.

The board of education of Harrison Township decided to submit to the voters of that township, the question of issuing bonds in the sum of \$12,000 to erect a centralized school building at Duvall.

Mrs. Charles L. Van Meter of Paducah, Ky., returned home after visiting since Christmas with her sisters, Mrs. A. M. Wiegand, Mrs. W. B. Renick and Mrs. E. A. Brown.

GRABBAG

One-Minute Test

1. Which founder of one of the United States went to prison because he refused to take off his hat in court?
2. Who completed the term of office of the martyred president, James A. Garfield?
3. What people kept records by means of knots in strings?

Words of Wisdom
The true past depends not; no truth or goodness realized by man ever dies, or can die; but all is still here, and recognized or not,

PARADISE IS HERE

Alma Sioux-Scarberry
WRITTEN FOR AND RELEASED BY CENTRAL PRESS ASSOCIATION

CHAPTER TWENTY-NINE
CHOLLY SAID with an effort, "Don't, Dove, I—can't bear it." His great love was a revelation to her. She knew he was telling the truth. Dove Hayworth, the third, was not just a rich man fascinated with a poor girl. He wanted to marry her.

Her fear that he had been trifling with her, hoping to have a casual affair, was gone. Dove would give up his father, his mother and his heritage to be her husband.

He laid his head over her lap, and she stroked his hair. "I'd miss you terribly if you went away, or if you didn't come to see me any more. But love? We must not talk of love, Dove. Your world—and my world are so different."

When he would have interrupted her, she stopped him with a gesture of impatience.

"Oh, I know what you're going to say—that if we love one another enough, that's all that matters. But your mother and father would hate me, and sooner or later that would interfere with our happiness."

"My mother and seven brothers and sisters would all have to be taken care of. That's my job, Dove. Not yours. My father has gone away and we've no idea where he is."

Dove gave a little groan of despair.

"My darling! And you're going to try to shoulder all that alone! Oh, Cholly, it kills me to think of your slaving your life away to take care of all that!" Cholly said in an old voice. "I'll have to help Mom until the children are grown up and old enough to take care of themselves. What you have just done—the chance you've just given me, will make it much easier. A hundred and twenty-five dollars a week is a fortune to us. But you shouldn't have tricked me into signing the contract."

Dove raised his head and kissed her tenderly.

"I was going completely crazy worrying about you, darling! I had to find a way. Your fool pride! It isn't charity. You mustn't look at it that way. You'll be earning your money selling syrup. And think of how much better I'll sleep nights."

She smiled mistily.

"I'll try to think of it that way."

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"No. It—wasn't that."

"He asked you to marry him!" Romany said excitedly.

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"How did you know that?" Romany ran over and dropped to her knees beside her friend.

"You didn't tell him that you wouldn't?" she asked fearfully.

Cholly nodded, her eyes filling with tears.

"Of course I did. Oh, let's not talk about it now!"

Romany got up, saying shortly: "Okay! But you're crazy, Cholly."

She walked out of the room, leaving Cholly to herself. She hung her coat in the hall closet and tossed her hat on a hanger. Then she went into the living room and threw her

Dove dropped his head to rest again. "Cholly, if you'll tell me you don't love anyone else I think it will be much easier."

She said slowly, as though she were trying to make sure: "I—don't love—anyone else."

He sighed, relieved. Then he raised his head and took her two little hands and kissed them.

"I won't ask you to marry me again. Maybe for a whole day or two. But I'm not going to believe you won't—some day."

Her eyes slowly filled with tears: "You're—so sweet, Dove. So kind and good. Just be my good friend and let things always be as they are now."

He reached up and kissed her fiercely.

"You precious child! Do you think I'm made of wood?"

"I wish you were," Cholly laughed shakily. "I wonder where Romany is."

"Does she always run out and leave you alone with your sponsors?" Dove grinned, running his hand through his hair.

"Invariably."

Cholly was relieved that Dove apparently meant to change the subject.

Dove raised her chin and looked into her eyes. When Cholly dropped her head, he said thickly:

"I love you! I'll always love you. And as long as I live there'll never be anyone but you. Whatever you decide, sweetheart, always remember that."

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But, on second thought, Romany decided things weren't as black as they seemed. If Cholly didn't care for Dove, she wouldn't refuse to talk about what had happened.

She hadn't wanted to talk about Terry after breaking her engagement with him. And if Cholly hadn't sent Dove away angry, if she meant to go on seeing him, there still was hope he would ask her to marry him again and she would break down and say yes.

Romany knew she couldn't keep Brent Nelson from proposing much longer. He'd been on the verge several times, and she had managed to avoid the issue. She sighed, wondering what she would say when the time came. What would be her answer?

Surely he was everything to be desired in a husband. Handsome, kind, successful. Conservative with his money, but with it all generous. True, just a short while before he had thought he was in love with Myra Noyes. But it was easy for men to be taken in by the wrong kind of women if they were dazzled and clever. Brent had said it was "one of those things." He'd made up his mind it was time to marry, and that he had never expected to meet anyone with whom he could fall in love in the good, old-fashioned way.

Certainly she and Brent were congenial. She had never been bored a second with him, even when they sat and talked for hours. Romany doubted seriously that she could ever love anyone with the passion and depth she had read about in books. Cholly was that type—the sort who ached with affection. Romany couldn't possibly see herself being hurt very deeply by any man's lack of affection, or his neglect. She intended to marry, of course. But she was smart enough to be practical about it.

Into her thoughts came Baxter Tree, and she stirred restlessly. It had been days since she had even caught a glimpse of Baxter. When she called to invite him to dinner a week before, he'd said he was working on a short story and must finish it in a hurry. Baxter had promised to call her back, but he hadn't done so.

Was it because Baxter had no money to take her out? Or had he just decided he didn't care to bother about her? It could be because of Brent Nelson.

If Baxter hadn't called or dropped in for any of those reasons, except lack of interest, it was silly of him. Romany made up her mind to do something she had never done before. Baxter had an apartment nearby. She would drop by and call on him.

(To Be Continued)

lives and works through endless changes.—Carlyle

Hints on Etiquette

What to do with the silver when you pass up your plate to your host for a second helping: Put knife and fork parallel with each other on the right side of the plate, and trust they won't slip off.

Today's Horoscope

Fortune will smile upon today's birthday children in their business affairs during the next twelve months. They should, however, exercise discretion while traveling, and also when dealing with relatives. The child born on this date will have a profound understanding and be of a thoughtful turn of mind. Good nature will also be an attribute of such a child, and as he or she grows to manhood or womanhood they will develop a flair for business and financial affairs, so that their success in those lines is assured.

One-Minute Test Answers

1. William Penn, founder of Pennsylvania.
2. Chester A. Arthur.
3. The Indians of the Inca empire.

Factographs

During the 18th century French women wore lightning rods on their hats. Slender metal rods reached the ground and were intended to act as protection against lightning.

The world's largest hung bell is the Great Bell of Mingum, near Mandalay, weighing 80 tons. It has no clapper and is rung with a heavy piece of wood.

One New Year resolution we'll bet Stalin will keep—if he made it—is not to jump on any small nation if it has any kind of army at all.

The man at the next desk says he knows a fellow who hates Russian Communists so much that this year he is wearing blue flannels.

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You're Telling Me!

SONJO HENIE, we read, has remarkable business ability. Even in financial matters, apparently, the little Norse skating star cuts plenty of ice.

The Nizam of Hyderabad, despite an income of \$5,000 a day, is said to be extremely stingy. Well, a fellow has to be careful and preserve something for a rainy day.

A student of ancient languages now says Aesop did not write Aesop's fable. Which, thinks Zadok Dumbkopf, naturally makes Aesop his own biggest fable.

An optimist is a fellow who cheerfully endures sub-zero temperatures in the knowledge a bitterly cold winter means

:—: Social Happenings-Personals-News of Interest to Women :—:

Eastern Star Conducts
Its Valentine Party

Contest Awards
Made During
Evening

Miss Bertha Valentine, worthy matron of the Order of the Eastern Star, assisted by her mother, Mrs. George Valentine, entertained the members at a Valentine party, Tuesday, at the close of the regular meeting of the chapter.

Contests were enjoyed with prizes going to Mrs. Fred Moeller, Mrs. E. L. Montgomery, Mrs. I. W. Kinsey and Miss Doris Schreiner.

Dainty refreshments in keeping with the season were served at the conclusion of the hour of entertainment.

During the regular business meeting in the chapter room, Masonic Temple, Miss Valentine announced that the annual inspection of Concord Chapter of Frankfort would be Friday evening, February 23. In behalf of the worthy matron of that chapter she extended an invitation to the members of Circleville chapter to attend.

Miss Valentine also announced that a social hour would follow the next business meeting, February 27, with Mrs. George H. Adkins as chairman of the hospitality committee.

You-Go-I-Go Club

Five guests in addition to the regular members were entertained Tuesday when the Misses Mattie and Ella Crum, West High Street, were hostesses to the You-Go-I-Go Club. The visitors included Mrs. Leslie Pontius, Mrs. O. F. Heffner, Mrs. Leon Van Vleet, Mrs. Clara Belle Spangler and daughter, Nancy Ann.

A shower of lovely gifts presented her by the guests, reminding Miss Anna Kirkwood of her birthday anniversary. Sewing and informal visiting were enjoyed during the afternoon which was concluded with a delightful lunch.

Mrs. Henry Hampshire, West High Street, will entertain the club March 12.

Evangelical Society Meets

The Women's Missionary Society of the Calvary Evangelical Church met Tuesday at the home of Miss Minnie Wilkerson of South Pickaway Street. While many were prevented by the weather in their attendance, the program arranged by Miss Frances Kibler was enjoyed by those present.

Miss Wilkerson, president, led the business and devotional hour. She announced that March would be the stewardship month of the society. Lincoln penny month was successfully observed during February.

Miss Kibler conducted the program on the subject, "Woman's Work in North and South America." A missionary quiz completed the study.

Christ Lutheran Society

About 25 members and guests were present Tuesday when Miss Helen Margaret Kern of Jackson Township entertained the Luther League of Christ Lutheran Church.

The business and devotional period was led by Miss Kern, president, the topic, "The Singing Sufferers," being read by Lyle Davis.

The program opened with a vocal duet by Mrs. G. L. Troutman and Miss Jean List. Four readings were then presented, "Dan Cupid," by Miss Bertha Krimmel, "Lincoln's Faith in God," by the Rev. G. L. Troutman, "George Washington," by Miss Betty Barthelmas and "Lent is Here," by Mrs. Harry Kern.

The entertainment of games and contests was concluded with a lunch in keeping with the Valentine season.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kern of Jackson Township will entertain the league March 12.

Evangelical League

The St. Paul Evangelical League of Washington Township met Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Warner, East Main Street.

The devotionals consisted of the scripture lesson read from the sixth chapter of Romans and prayers by D. A. Bowman and Mrs. Warner. Ralph Delong, vice president, was in charge of the meeting.

Missionary current events on the Red Bird Mission, Beverly, Ky., were discussed by Miss Dorothy Glick.

Following the business meeting, contests were conducted by Arthur K. Kibler after which a delicious lunch appropriate to the season was served by the hosts.

The next session will be March 5, the place to be announced later.

Morris U. B. C. E.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Brown of 318 Mingo Street entertained the Morris United Brethren Christian Endeavor society Tuesday with Mrs. Watson Brown and Mrs. James Humphrey, assisting.

Richard Dresbach was in charge

Social
Calendar

WEDNESDAY
PRESBY-WEDS, PRESBYTER-
terian Church, Wednesday at
6:30 p. m.

THURSDAY
FRIENDSHIP CIRCLE, HOME
Mrs. Daniel Brobst, 108 South
Pickaway Street, Thursday at
1:30 p. m.

WILLING WORKERS' CLASS,
home the Rev. L. S. Metzler,
East Franklin Street, Thurs-
day at 2 p. m.

SHINING LIGHT BIBLE CLASS,
U. B. community house, Thurs-
day at 7:30 p. m.

TUXIS CLUB, PRESBYTERIAN
Church, Thursday at 8:30 p. m.
WOMEN'S MISSIONARY SO-
ciety, Presbyterian Church,
Thursday all day.

PAST MATRONS' AND PA-
trons' Circle, Red room, Ma-
sonic Temple, Thursday at 7:30
7:30 p. m.

MAGIC SEWING CLUB, HOME
Mrs. John Grubb, West High
Street, Thursday at 2 p. m.

ASHVILLE GARDEN CLUB,
home Mrs. Alva Courtwright,
Ashville, Thursday at 7:30
p. m.

FRIDAY
ROYAL NEIGHBORS, MODERN
Woodmen Hall, Friday at 7:30
p. m.

PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN'S
Social Club, church, Friday at
7:30 p. m.

MERRY-MAKERS' CLUB, MA-
sonic Temple, Friday at 2:30
p. m.

SATURDAY
COTILLION CLUB, MEMORIAL
Hall, Saturday at 7:30 p. m.
MISSION BAND AND LITTLE
Heralds, Calvary Evangelical
Church, Saturday at 1:30 p. m.

MONDAY
MONDAY CLUB, LIBRARY
Trustees' room, Memorial Hall,
Monday at 7:30 p. m.

WASHINGTON PTA, WASH-
ington School, Monday at 7:30
p. m.

PHI BETA PSI, HOME MRS.
Delos Marcy, West Mill Street,
Monday at 8 p. m.

TUESDAY
LOGAN ELM GRANGE, PICK-
away School, Tuesday at 7:30
p. m.

NEBRASKA GRANGE, THE
grange hall, Tuesday at 7:30
p. m.

CHILD CONSERVATION
League, home Mrs. Lemuel
Weldon, West Union Street,
Tuesday at 2:30 p. m.

of the meeting in the absence of
the president, Marvin Musselman.
After group singing, the scrip-
ture lesson from the twelfth chap-
ter of Romans was read by Mr.
Dresbach. A Valentine program
followed.

The reports of Carl Anderson,
secretary, and Harley Brown,
treasurer, were received. The even-
ing's offering was \$2.55.

A Valentine lunch was served
during the informal social hour, to
30 members and visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Leist, Wash-
ington Township, will entertain the
group March 12.

Valentine Party
The Mission Band and Little
Heralds of the Calvary Evange-
lical Church will be entertained at
a Valentine party Saturday from
1:30 until 4 p. m. in the social
room of the church.

Bridge Club Meets
Valentine decorations and light-
ed candles made the table attrac-
tive when Miss Rose Good served
lunch to members of her auction
bridge club Tuesday in her home
on South Court Street.

The refreshments concluded an
evening of progressive bridge
with Mrs. Walter Heise and Miss
Good carrying off the score
prizes.

Mrs. Harry Sark of Ashville
will entertain the group in two
weeks.

Miss Elizabeth Drum and Mrs.
Russell Evans were entertained by
Miss Good in addition to the club
members.

Birthday Party
Weldon Hill of Ashville was
honored at a surprise party Sun-
day observing his twenty-sixth
birthday anniversary. The affair
was arranged by employees of
the Caskey company, Columbus,
and several of his close relatives,
who gathered at the Hill home
and enjoyed a cooperative dinner
at 6 p. m.

Games and music constituted

Belted in Style



THE FOCAL point of many mid-season gowns is the girdle or belt, either separate or stitched onto the material. Wearing it requires reasonably trim hips but not the ultra-slim waist so essential for high-busted silhouettes. Unlike the wide suede or gold kid belt, this soft type in the same fabric as the dress divides the torso without exaggerating its lack of perfection. One of our American designers tops the lime green crepe pictured with a salmon jacket of peau d'ange, embroidering it like the girdle, with gilt and sequins. The jacket is sufficiently long to cover the belt when fastened—in fact, a good length for other dresses in the wardrobe. Let's not forget that we pay for a jacket and should consider its usefulness in general as well as its tie-up with a particular style.

the entertainment of the evening. Mr. Hill received many useful gifts.

Cotillion Club
Mrs. John Boggs and Mrs. Beulah Madison will be hostesses at the Valentine Dance planned by the Cotillion Club for Saturday night. The dancing will begin at 7:30 p. m., the affair being held in Memorial Hall.

The club committee for the evening includes Miss Lois Madison, Miss Mary Lou Kochheiser, Harry Clifton, Jr., and Paul Siegwald.

Philathea Club
Miss Dorothy Jenkins of Watt Street will entertain the members of the Philathea Club when they gather in her home at 7:30 p. m. Tuesday for the February session.

Logan Elm Grange
Miss Eva Worley will be guest speaker Tuesday when the Logan Elm Grange meets in the Pickaway Township School auditorium. Miss Worley is teacher of home economics of the school.

Child Conservation League
Mrs. Lemuel Weldon, West Union Street, will entertain the Child Conservation League Tuesday at 2:30 p. m.

Nebraska Grange
Miss Rosemary Boggs and C. D. Bennett will present the program for the regular meeting of Nebraska Grange Tuesday at 7:30 p. m. in the grange hall.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Kerr of Renwick, Ia., who have been making an extended visit with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Ward Peck, of Wayne Township left Tuesday for their home, accompanied by James Toole, Jr., of near Chillicothe.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Adkins of East Main Street returned Monday from Medina where they had motored Miss Margaret Adkins after a week end visit in Circleville.

Mrs. Bishop Hill of Williamsport visited Tuesday with her sister, Mrs. Paul Matthaes, of Pleasant Street.

Mrs. James Shaner of Kingston was a Tuesday shopper in Circleville, Tuesday.

Mrs. William Hoffman of Wayne Township shopped in Circleville, Tuesday.

Mrs. Franklin Price and son, Bobby, of Jackson Township were Circleville visitors, Tuesday.

Mrs. S. B. Metzger and children of Williamsport were in Circleville, shopping, Tuesday.

Mrs. Loring List of near Ashville shopped in Circleville, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Green of Orient were Tuesday business visitors in Circleville.

Miss Margaret Dunlap of Williamsport was a Circleville shopper, Tuesday.

Mrs. Lester Ward of Muhlenberg Township was a Tuesday visitor in Circleville.

Ray Marburger of near Ashville

ATLANTA

Dick and Jimmy Hiser of Clarksburg were Sunday visitors at the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Willis.

Mrs. Dan Pfoutz of Circleville spent Wednesday at the home of her mother, Mrs. Stella Skinner.

Miss Elizabeth Raup was a Friday overnight guest of Miss Kathryn Baum at Duval.

John Clellan of Williamsport was a Friday evening supper guest of his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John Farmer Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Sherman of Columbus were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Tarbill and son Michael.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Curry of Columbus visited Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Briggs and daughter Ann.

Mr. and Mrs. George Clements of Circleville visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Clements.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Dennis and family and Roy Dennis were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Doan of New Holland.

Miss Odile Peugot was a week end visitor at her home in Mowrytown.

Mr. and Mrs. Darrell French of New Holland visited Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Evans.

Mrs. Henry Funk returned home Sunday after visiting part of last week with relatives in Columbus.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Keaton of New Holland were week end visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Keaton.

Thursday evening supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Morris and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Morris were Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Morris and family, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Graham and daughter Jean of Columbus and Mrs. Harley Speakman and family. The occasion honored the birthday anniversary of J. W. Morris.

Mrs. Marvin Schlering was a Friday visitor in Circleville.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Tarbill and daughter Geneva were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Alice Conrad and daughter Josephine.

Mrs. Daisy Stinson will be hostess to the WCTU members at her home in Atlanta this Wednesday at 2 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Burke Kearney and son Billie and Mrs. Rattie Kearney of Washington C. H. Miss Mary and W. E. Porter of New Holland, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hornell, Wilmington, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Wilson of Irwin and Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Evans and son Harley were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kirkpatrick and daughter Gretchen of Wilmington.

Miss Ruth Hunter of New Holland spent Monday with her sister Mrs. Harold Dennis. Mr. and Mrs. Dennis and family and Roy Dennis are moving this week to the Atwell Bros. farm near Chillicothe.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Funk and son Kenneth of Dayton were Monday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Funk.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Speakman and children spent Sunday evening with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Errol Speakman and family.

Mrs. Ola Binns of Columbus was a week end guest of Miss Leah

was in Circleville on business, Tuesday.

Mrs. Sterley Croman of Washington Township shopped in Circleville, Tuesday.

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Tomato Jelly Salad
Succotash Celery or Pickles
Orange Chiffon Pie Coffee or Tea

BAKED salmon with Rice—Ingredients: two cups canned salmon, one and one-half cups cooked rice, one and one-half cups milk, two eggs, one teaspoon salt, one-eighth teaspoon pepper, one-fourth buttered crumbs. Alternate flaked salmon and rice in a greased baking dish. Scald milk, add eggs, slightly beaten, and seasoning. Pour into baking dish and top with buttered crumbs. Bake in moderate oven until set and light brown.

Tomato Jelly Salad—Ingredients: one can tomatoes, four cloves, two medium onions, chopped fine; one bay leaf, one teaspoon salt, two tablespoons vinegar, juice of one lemon, about one tablespoon sugar, two tablespoons granulated gelatin. Boil tomatoes, onions and spices, then strain and use two cups of the juice. Soften gelatin in one-half cup water or tomato juice, then add it to the heated tomato juice. Add lemon juice and vinegar. Pour into ring mold to harden. Fill center with cottage cheese, and pass a bowl of mayonnaise with it.

Orange Chiffon Pie—Ingredients: one baked shell, four egg yolks, three-fourths cup sugar, one-fourth teaspoon salt, two tablespoons lemon juice, one-half cup orange juice, one teaspoon grated orange rind, one tablespoon plain unflavored gelatin, one-fourth cup cold water, four egg whites, one-fourth cup sugar. Beat egg yolks in the top part of double boiler with sugar, salt, lemon and orange juice and grated orange rind. Sprinkle gelatin over surface of cold water and let stand. Cook egg yolk mixture over hot, not boiling, water until mixture coats the spoon. Remove from heat, stir in gelatin and place to cool. When mixture starts to thicken, beat until light. Beat egg whites to a stiff froth, add remaining sugar gradually, beating it in. Fold in egg yolk and orange mixture; blend well and turn into baked shell. Coat over with a thin

layer of whipped cream just before serving.

Spanish Chicken Mashed Potatoes
Pineapple Salad Celery
Crunchy Whip Wafers Coffee

AS THERE are peas, tomatoes and possibly mushrooms in the meat dish, I have not suggested another vegetable for this meal.

Spanish Chicken—Ingredients: four pounds fat chicken, two large onions, sliced, one-fourth cup chicken fat (or butter), one can tomatoes, two chopped carrots, one celery root finely cubed (or several outside stalks of celery), one green pepper, one can peas, drained. Season with salt and pepper and some paprika. Heat fat and drop into it the chicken which has been very lightly floured. Brown and cook very slowly, covered, for one hour. Now add tomatoes, carrots, celery, pepper. Cover tightly and simmer very slowly until tender. Five minutes before serving add drained peas. A can of mushrooms may be added if you want it especially good. In this case add mushroom liquor when you add the tomatoes.

Pineapple Salad—Lay one slice of commercial canned pineapple or pieces of home-canned pineapple on lettuce or finely-shredded or chopped cabbage, top with mayonnaise or favorite salad dressing, cottage or cream cheese and a nut meat.

Crunchy Whip—Ingredients: one cup raisins or cooked dried figs, one-half cup orange juice, three-fourths teaspoon grated orange rind, one-third cup sugar, one-eighth teaspoon salt, two teaspoons plain gelatin, one tablespoon cold water, one cup whipping cream, one egg, two cups crumbled graham crackers. If raisins are used, cover with boiling water for five minutes and drain. Dried figs should be sliced

after stems are clipped. Combine fruit with orange juice, orange rind, sugar and salt, and heat to boiling. Moisten gelatin in cold water, add to hot mixture, and stir to dissolve; cool. Whip cream stiff. Beat egg thick and creamy. Combine cooled fruit mixture, whipped cream, beaten egg and graham crackers, and blend lightly but thoroughly. Chill but do not freeze. Serve in stemmed glasses. This will serve six.

EAR FOR RADIO
ST. LOUIS—The average 11-year-old spends about one half as much time listening to the radio as he spends in school, according to a survey made by Dr. John P. McKay, principal of West Richmond Heights School. Broadcasts most popular with children, McKay found, are action dramas, variety shows including comedy, music and audience participation programs. About 83 percent of the programs they listen to are not regular broadcasts for children, his survey showed.

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AUTOMOBILE DEALERS		ROOFING—SPOUTING	
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AUTO EQUIPMENT SERVICE AND SUPPLIES		"A Roof for every Building"	
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DAIRY PRODUCTS DEALERS		GEORGE C. BARNES 814 S. Court St. Phone 1006	
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ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT DEALERS		CIRCLEVILLE TRANSFER CO. 114 W. Water-st Phone 1227	
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ELECTRICAL WELDING SHOP		DR. C. W. CROMLEY Phone Ashville 4.	
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WRIGLEY STANDS ON HIS OFFERS TO FIVE STARS

CHICAGO, Feb. 14.—P. K. Wrigley, owner of the Chicago Cubs, unburdened himself of some observations concerning his club's holdout problems today.

He isn't going to be pushed around, he said, and if the four recalcitrants plus Dizzy Dean don't show up at Catalina Island for spring training there'll be youngsters there to take their places.

Letters were mailed last night to Third Baseman Stan Hack, Outfielders Hank Leiber and Augie Galan, and Pitcher Clay Bryant to that effect, Wrigley said. He continued:

"Now is as good a time as any to see if we can't get a little young blood into the lineup. We finished fourth last year and that makes it look as though there is room for improvement. We probably could finish at least fourth even if some of the holdouts stay away indefinitely. But fourth place isn't enough, so the logical thing would be to attempt a new combination." And, Wrigley concluded, "I'm not going to weaken, and this includes Dean."

Dean left Chicago Monday night for Jackson, Miss., where he will tutor in a baseball school, after a vain attempt to persuade Wrigley to hike the \$10,000 offered him for 1940, a 50 percent slash off his 1939 stipend.

BOSTWICK COLT CHOICE TO WIN HAMBLETONIAN

GOSHEN, N. Y., Feb. 14.—Dunbar W. Bostwick, Old Westbury, L. I. sportsman, owns the experts' choice of the 47 three-year-old trotters kept eligible as of January 1 for the 14th renewal of the \$40,000 Hambletonian stake to be raced at Good Time Park here in August. Kuno, bay colt by Guy Day, is Bostwick's harness horse, and he's got his fingers crossed that better luck awaits him this year than in 1937 when another favorite of his, Hollywood Audrey, finished fourth.

The 47 colts and fillies on which \$250 was paid this year is the largest number kept eligible to the Hambletonian in 11 years, according to Will Gahagan, secretary of the Hambletonian Society here. One other payment is required before the standardbred bluebloods can start in the richest trotting stake in the world, that of \$500 the day before the race.

Kuno won important races in 1939 at Goshen, Old Orchard Me., Lexington, Ky., Indianapolis and Reading, Pa., and earned a record of 2:04½. The colt is now under training by his amateur owner-driver and Harry Whitney, at Alken, S. C.

Second choice for top honors at Good Time Park in August is Spencer Scott, owned by C. W. Phellis, Greenwich, Conn., and sired by Scotland, sire of Rosalind, who won the Hambletonian in 1936. Fred Egan, trainer who has been credited to winning the harness derby more times than any other man, but who has never captured it, is tutoring Spencer Scott at Longwood, Fla.

Gentleman Jim, owned by John F. Davis, Toledo, O., is rated third in the winter book on the Hambletonian.

CANADIAN SKI CHAMPIONSHIPS AT MT. NORWAY

BANFF, Alta., Feb. 14.—Details of the Dominion Championships of the Canadian Amateur Ski Association which will draw the top-flight stars of Canada, will be held Feb. 29 to March 3 on the slopes and jumps of speedy Mount Norway, where it was staged in 1937, and stiff competition will weed out the national champions in the men's cross-country, slalom, downhill and jumping, ladies' downhill and slalom and junior boys' and girls' downhill and slalom events.

The championships will be held this year under the sponsorship of the Ski Runners of the Canadian Rockies, the Calgary Ski Club, the Canmore Ski Club and the Lake Louise Ski Club.

Program of competitive events: Feb. 29—Men's cross-country and boys' downhill; March 1—Men's slalom, ladies' downhill and girls' downhill; March 2—Men's downhill, ladies' slalom, and girls' slalom; March 3—Men's jumping, boys' slalom and exhibitions.

The tournament is open to amateur skiers as defined by the Canadian Amateur Ski Association and U. S. National Ski Association codes, and to F. I. S. amateurs. Entries are subject to acceptance by the C. A. S. A. and must be filed with the tournament secretary not later than February 22; an entry fee of one dollar per event is charged.

PURSE SNATCHING BI-CYCLES CLEVELAND.—A bicycle is popularly believed to be a source of enjoyment and exercise, but one larceny-minded night prowler is using his to snatch purses. Mrs. Lucy Weller reported to police that a youth whizzed by on a bicycle as she alighted from a street car, stuck one hand out and grabbed her purse containing 50 cents.

Neat Block, Eh?



THIS bit of cage action was taken during the New York U.-Notre Dame cage game in New York's Madison Square Garden, witnessed by 18,000. New York U. won, 52 to 43, to snap a Notre Dame win streak and keep its own record unblemished. Mort Lazzer, No. 22, is dribbling down the court in this photo. Mark Ertel, No. 19, of Notre Dame, tries to get in on the play.

Godoy's Manager Fears Boy to Get Run Around

By Pat Robinson

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—The most indignant member of the fistic fraternity today is Al Weill, popularly known as The Vest. And the most disgusted member of the same social set is Champion Joe Louis, now sometimes called—but not in his hearing—the Bombless Bomber. Al's indignation stems from the fact that he fears—and not without reason—that there is a move afoot to sidetrack his heavyweight, Arturo Godoy, from another meeting with Louis.

GODOY OFFERED FIGHT ON COAST WITH SONNYBOY

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 14.—The Golden Gate Sporting Club today sought to match Arturo Godoy, Chilean heavyweight whom Joe Louis failed to bomb in 15 rounds, with Sonnyboy Walker of Los Angeles.

Frank Taylor, club manager, telegraphed Godoy's handler in New York offering a \$5,000 guarantee to the Chilean for a San Francisco bout with Walker March 29.

In his last two fights Walker won decisions.

FIVE YANKS PUT THEIR NAMES ON 1940 CONTRACTS

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—The New York Yankees announced they had received five welcome Valentines today in the shape of signed contracts from Charley Keller, who received a substantial increase in salary, Monty Pearson, Oral Hildebrand, Louis Blair and Ernest Bonham.

OHIO UNIVERSITY WINS OVER MUSKINGUM TEAM

COLUMBUS, Feb. 14.—Ohio University's speedy basketball five today held a victory over Muskingum, one of the leaders of the Ohio Conference. In a game last night, the Bobcats turned back the Muskies, 49 to 37.

Wooster continued its fast pace by taking Kenyon into camp, 61 to 30, while Wittenberg upset Bowling Green, 42 to 40.

At Delaware, Ohio Wesleyan forged ahead of Oberlin in the last half to snare a 66 to 50 victory. Oberlin was behind at the half by only one point, 29 to 30. Bill Rohr, Wesleyan guard, paced the attack with 18 points.

Capital lost a one-point decision to Otterbein at Westerville, 40 to 39. Ohio Northern won from Ashland, 43 to 33, and Denison annihilated Marietta, 50 to 33.

ENGLISH CUSTOM PREVAILS MARBLEHEAD, MASS.—Famous Devereaux Beach may soon be known as "Epiphany Beach." This is coming about as a result of the practice of parishioners of St. Andrew's Church of burning Christmas Green in a huge bonfire on the beach on Epiphany, in accordance with an old English custom.

SCHOOLHOUSES SOLD EAST LIVERPOOL, O.—The little red schoolhouse is something for the residents of Columbiana County to talk about, but no more will it be a reality. Eleven one-room structures were sold at auction by order of the board of education for a total of \$2,160. Two of the buildings were 100 years old. Three bells went with the buildings.

COUNTY'S CAGE TEAMS COMPETE THURSDAY EVE

Four Games On Opening Schedule; Pickaway, N. Holland Liked

With the Atlanta school as the scene and competition expected to be good, the annual Pickaway County basketball tournament will open Thursday evening with four boys' games on the schedule. The first encounter, with VonKanel and Longnecker as the officials, will begin at 7 o'clock, other contests following hourly.

Youngsters representing the Scioto and Walnut schools will pry off the lid, with Washington vs. Darby, Perry vs. Deercreek and Saltcreek vs. Jackson as the other games during the evening.

Friday's card will pit the winner of the Scioto-Walnut tilt against Pickaway, county titlists; winner of Washington-Darby vs. New Holland and the New Holland girls against the Monroe girls, the first game starting at 7, the girls' game at eight and the third contest at 9. Saturday's finale will bring the winner of the Perry-Deercreek fray against Ashville at 7, the victor in the Saltcreek-Jackson contest against Monroe and the Darby girls against Ashville girls.

Semi-final contests and the girls' consolation will be played Friday evening, February 23, with the finals on Saturday night.

The tournament this year is regarded in many circles as a toss-up. Pickaway Pirates, unbeaten in their entire regular schedule carry the support of many who believe that they will go through the competition without a lot of trouble, but there are others who look toward Ashville, New Holland, Monroe Township, Scioto Township, and Washington Township. If there is a darkhorse in the county it is among this group.

New Holland's girls also boast of a clear record and must be regarded as tournament favorites as play starts.

VALUABLE RACES TO BE STAGED IN CHICAGO PARK

CHICAGO, Feb. 14.—The richest racing program in its history was announced today by officials of the Washington Park Jockey Club for its fall meeting.

Stakes, purses and special awards to trainers and jockeys will total more than \$400,000, almost twice the amount distributed last year.

The American Derby, at a mile and a quarter for three year olds, will be revived August 10, it was announced, with \$40,000 added. The \$20,000 added Washington Park Futurity will be run August 24, and the Washington Park Handicap, with the purse increased from \$5,000 to \$25,000 on Labor Day, September 2.

A purse of \$3,500 will be awarded leading trainers, and a like sum will be divided between leading jockeys and apprentices.

GARCIA FAVORED IN FEBRUARY 22 TITLE CONTEST

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 14.—While Ceferino Garcia and Henry Armstrong today were nearing the peak of training for the middleweight championship fight at Gilmore Stadium Feb. 22 experts were busy trying to pick the winner.

The consensus of the opinions expressed tilts toward Garcia whom they think is too big for the great little Negro. Armstrong has won three titles and seeks a fourth.

Jackie Fields, former welterweight champion, is riding with Garcia. He doesn't look for a knockout, but figures Armstrong will still be in there at the end of the 10 rounds.

The ex-champion doesn't consider Garcia's bolo punch the big threat. He calls the bolo blow just an old fashioned uppercut. But Fields admitted that if he was fighting now he would rather take his chances with Garcia.

Willie Ritchie, former lightweight titleholder, says the last contest between Armstrong and Garcia was too close to pick a winner this time.

In his test workout yesterday Armstrong was clocked pitching 308 punches in three rounds. This was three blows short of the mark he made in Chicago.

DEMPSEY REFEREES BOUT BETWEEN WALKER, SIMMS

COLUMBUS, Feb. 14.—Jack Dempsey, former world heavyweight champion, will referee the Monday bout between Jack "Bud" Walker, Columbus Negro, and Eddie Simms, of Cleveland, it was announced today.

CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

ACROSS

1. Crush
2. Cry of
3. Bacchanals
4. Moisture
5. Borough
6. Biblical city
7. Shut
8. Sun god
9. Gaze
10. Margins
11. A resource
12. A vow
13. Open inner court
14. Expire
15. Exclamation
16. To mingle
17. Type
18. Unit of work
19. A work with parapets
20. Projecting window
21. A tag
22. To fish
23. Overdraft (abbr.)
24. Paths
25. Like
26. Near
27. Goddess of harvest
28. Emblem
29. English river
30. Fencing sword
31. A bird

DOWN

1. A Gorgon
2. Wards off
3. Plant
4. Hebrew

letter

5. A tramp
6. Entertainment
7. A shipworm
8. An ovum
9. Samaritan (sym.)
10. Top of milk
11. Epistle
12. Tie again
13. Pale
14. Viper
15. Ramble
16. Anger
17. Set of eight

29. A greeting
30. Mountain nymph
31. Merits
32. Idle talk
33. Cut off edge
34. Ridicule
35. To pass by
36. Abate
37. Reside
38. Affirmative votes
39. A spigot
40. Belonging to us
41. Exist
42. Cry of pain

Yesterday's Answer

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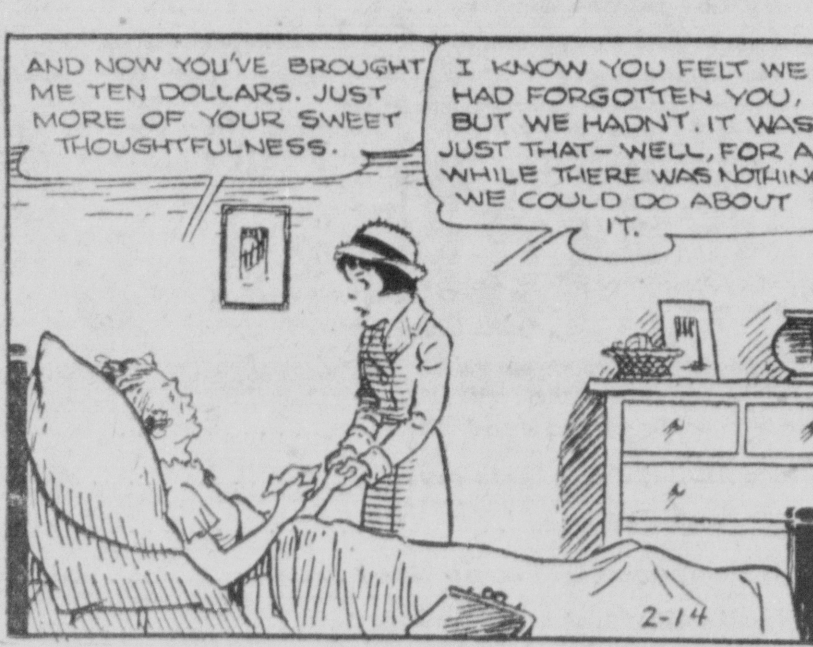
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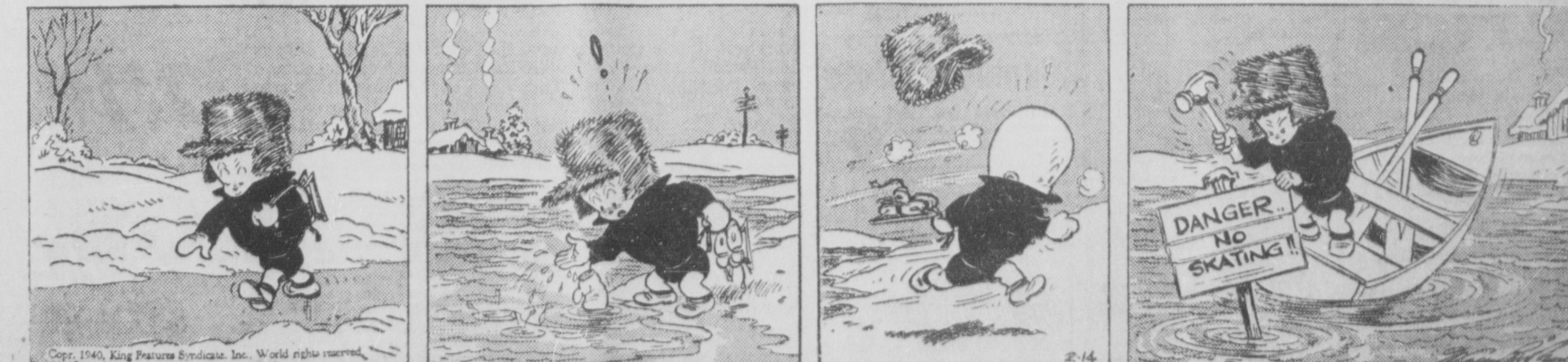
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BENEVOLENT SOCIETY HEARS PLEA FOR BETTER HOUSING

SOCIAL WORKER SAYS RESIDENCE NEED IS VITAL

Miss Southward Reports On Her Activities Among City's Needy

OFFICERS ARE ELECTED

Miss Florence Dunton To Serve Another Year As President

Election of officers for the new year and reports of the organization's activities during 1939 comprised the principal business conducted Tuesday when the Circleville Benevolent Society held its annual organization meeting.

The organization chose Miss Florence Dunton to serve as president, Mrs. W. T. Ulm as vice president, Mrs. W. W. Robinson as secretary and Mrs. Clark Will as treasurer.

The report of Miss Clara Southward, social worker for the organization, reiterated the need for correction of Circleville's housing conditions.

"Better housing," she said, "is still an unsolved problem. I say again that we need houses more than anything else in Circleville. Two and three families crowded into one small dilapidated, unsanitary shack is surely not a thing of which any one can be proud, yet we have that condition in several places, not from choice of the occupants but because no other house can be found for a low wage earner."

All Who Aided Thanked

Miss Southward expressed thanks to various organizations and individuals for gifts of clothing, household supplies and food declaring that the Association is indebted to 108 individuals and to many organizations.

"Sometimes the donors apologize for the clothing sent," she continued, "thinking it is not valuable, but we are grateful for all gifts and are able to place every article where it will supply some need. We have several women on our list who can remodel old clothing to make it look like new for their children and for themselves."

During the year the Association gave supplies of clothing or food, or both, to 216 families. Nineteen were on the milk list for periods of one to 12 months according to special needs. Thirty-eight families were remembered at Christmas time. The Association gave out 263 pairs of shoes, 1,571 garments, 955 miscellaneous articles which included bedding and household supplies of many sorts. Miss Southward made a total of 1,378 visits to homes of applicants and 265 other visits in their behalf.

January Report Made

The social worker also reported for January citing that 67 families were aided by the organization, stating that 15 families that had not received help before were put on the list. Supplies issued included 37 pairs of shoes, 191 garments for men, women and children and 74 miscellaneous household articles. "There were many calls for clothing and bedding that we could not supply," Miss Southward reported.

Food was given to 28 families during January and coal was supplied to one. The number of interviews with applicants was 141, other interviews in their behalf being 44, visits in homes 25 and other visits in their behalf 18.

HEALTH WORK OKED

Chillicothe, Feb. 14—Chillicothe dentists at their monthly dinner Tuesday night went on record to support a proposed health roundup of children of pre-school age. The program is sponsored by the Chillicothe Parent-Teachers Association.

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Auditor Convicted



VICTIM of the backfire of a grand jury he was instrumental in having called at Wichita, Kan., James B. Momb, auditor, has been convicted by a court jury of robbery in the third degree, growing out of an indictment charging attempted extortion. A jury in another division of the court cleared Momb of a similar charge some time ago and another similar case pends. The defense charges a "frame-up."

CITY TEACHERS TO HEAR TALKS ON MARCH 11-25

Two lecturers of outstanding interest to Circleville educators will appear in this city in the near future, Frank Fischer, superintendent of schools, announced Wednesday.

Monday, March 11, is the date of the appearance of Spencer Shank of Cincinnati. Until recently, Mr. Shank was with the University of Cincinnati, and lately he has headed the Research Department in the Cincinnati Public Schools.

Mr. Shank's subject will be "Reading." In the field of reading, he has become an expert.

Monday, March 25, is the date on which Dr. Edgar Dale, of the Educational Research Department of the Ohio State University, will address us. Mr. Dale's subject is also a timely one — "The Movies, and their Influence on the Attitudes of our Pupils and Ourselves."

Both of the above lectures will be held in the social rooms of the school and they will begin at 3:30 o'clock.

ROSS COUNTIANS WANT VAULT FOR BALLOTS

CHILLICOTHE, Feb. 14—As a representative of the Ross County Board of Elections, O. O. Overly appeared before the County Commissioners and asked them to consider the purchase of a fireproof vault for safeguarding ballots at the election office.

Overly was instructed by the commissioners to find the costs and obtain plans for the fireproof vault with a time lock on it. He informed the commissioners that the board would formulate plans for the purchase.

At the same meeting a member of the Automatic Voting Machine Company was present to discuss the rental or purchase of voting machines for Chillicothe since many civic organizations of the city have gone on record favoring the use of the machines in Chillicothe elections.

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Washington Merry-Go-Round

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It is for us to decide whom we shall indict, not Washington."

However, Rogge, although obviously not pleased with his telephone instructions from Washington, persuaded the grand jury to suspend its operations, so that it could resume after elections.

NOTE—The Justice Department, when questioned about this, admitted the telephonic instructions were sent to Rogge but it was made clear the grand jury could proceed on Wednesday, January 17, one day after elections.

MAESTRI'S PARTNER INDICTED

However, Earl Long, the Maestri candidate, did not win on January 16 and the grand jury was not called back on January 17. In fact, it has not been called back at all. Presumably this was because of the second run-off election on February 20 and presumably also because any more indictments of "political figures" still would upset the Huey Long gang in Louisiana.

Particularly significant is the fact that on January 12, the day Rogge got the phone call from Washington, William Helis was indicted. Presumably Helis was not a "political figure." However, he is the partner of Maestri. Mayor Maestri, a "political figure," was not indicted.

Since then Justice Department officials have explained that through a technicality in the hot oil law—the fact that it was not promulgated—Maestri is in a position where he did not violate a federal law, even though he made a fortune in hot oil.

In Louisiana, however, it is pointed out that a state law provides that no member of the Louisiana Conservation Commission can hold oil leases or royalty rights, and that Maestri while chairman of the Conservation Commission held such leases. Furthermore, Justice Department officials admit that anyone that violates the state law can be prosecuted for fraudulent use of the mails. They explained that Maestri says that when he was chairman of the Conservation Commission, he was not familiar with the law which prohibited him from owning oil leases.

Forthright John Rogge is back in New Orleans now, and he may reopen the whole case. But the betting is he won't do it until after the election of February 20, when Earl Long probably will be re-elected.

WHO QUASHED THE JURY?

Last chapter in the Third Louisiana Purchase is the question, "Who arranged it?"

One clue to this is that Senator Ellender, sometimes branded the "Maestri-Long messenger boy in Washington," was very busy blasting Rogge for holding his grand jury investigation just prior to the election. This is public record. But Ellender alone is not powerful enough to call off Rogge.

Records of the Justice Department show that Senator Ellender made no trips to see the Attorney General immediately prior to the phone call of January 12. However, Senator Ellender has not been backward in calling at the White House.

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vastly more cooperative regarding the delaying of American vessels at Gibraltar, where hitherto U. S. ships have been held up for two to three weeks, while Italian ships have been cleared in one or two days.

Unquestionably British Embassy officials are deeply concerned over unfavorable opinion in the United States, and are doing their best to remedy it.

They explained that the delay is caused because it is necessary to cable to London the manifest of

each American vessel arriving at Gibraltar. Then the items on this manifest are cabled to the British consuls in each city to which the goods are destined. Then the British consul in Belgrade, for instance, calls upon the company which is to receive the goods and ascertains whether he has really ordered them and whether there is any likelihood of their being shipped on to Germany.

All this takes several days — sometimes weeks. The Italians, however, have been cabling their

manifests to London before the ships clear from the United States and now the British Embassy proposes to expedite the American manifests in somewhat the same way.

HAMMACK APPOINTED

The county commissioners Tuesday appointed Leroy Hammack of Muhlenberg Township as a member of the Soldiers' Burial committee to replace Gilbert Crawford.

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